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ROUSING OLNEY MEETING AT EDEN

Prominent Women Speak in Favor of Graham County's Candidate

OLNEY'S SPLENDID RECORD

Assures the People an Administration of Efficiency and Economy

The Amusement Hall at Eden was filled with ardent supporters of Mr. Olney last Sunday evening at a meeting of the Graham County Olney Club.

As usual, a large number of women were present. The sincerity of the women in their determination to cast their ballots intelligently was shown by the different women speakers.

As point after point was brought out, the enthusiasm increased, and, when it was reported that canvasses of the voters revealed the fact that 90 per cent of the democrats would support Mr. Olney, the audience realized that there must be very good reasons why such a majority of the people prefer Mr. Olney.

For twenty-five years the citizens of the valley have known Mr. Olney and in all that time there is none who could say that they had found him dishonest in any transaction. On the other hand, they had found that he had given the same painstaking attention to county affairs that he gave to his own business.

The men who are supporting Mr. Olney will receive no salaries or rewards of any kind for their labors. The campaign is being waged upon the basis of "No Boodle." They support Mr. Olney because they believe him to be the best qualified to administer the laws of the State. They are supporting him because of his past record of fair play and justice to all the people. They are supporting him because they know he will not override the laws to serve his own purposes.

John F. Weber, as the first speaker, brought out the record of Mr. Olney's long and successful fight to make the mining companies and railroads pay their just share of taxes. This refutes and disproves the statements now being peddled around that Mr. Olney is a corporation man. There is not a man in the State of Arizona today who has fought the corporations as hard as Mr. Olney. After their long fight, they found that his sense of fairness and justice was the same in public affairs as it was in his private affairs. This spirit of true Americanism enables him to represent all the people of the State.

He is a successful business man; a successful cattleman, and a successful farmer. He knows from experience the true relation between capital and labor. His worst enemies do not claim that it will be necessary for the legislature to abridge any of his powers to prevent him from placing himself above the laws of the State. It is a serious thing for the democratic party of the State to have a governor representing but one class of people, so that a recall petition became necessary.

Andrew Peterson has long been interested in legislative affairs. The freak measures have produced a condition of affairs that is not conducive to a stable and conservative government. Above all things Arizona needs a government which will invite capital into the State with the assurance of fair play. We have had a government which expells capital rather than one which welcomes the development of our resources. That is why a change in the executive department is imperative.

The citizens of Arizona realize the real danger in having a governor who has not paid a cent of taxes for years. They know that the more taxes a man pays, the more business-like he is in spending the tax receipts. They know that if he is not a taxpayer at all, he is less liable to be very thoughtful of other people's money.

Mrs. Richard Layton was given a rousing approval when she stated that the men and women could do no better than to vote for Mr. Olney. The women will acquire merit as well as honor and credit by having a man from Graham county as governor. Mr.

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THE LLANO COLONY

Located in California, Has Attractive Features for the Ideal Life

Llano Del Rio Cooperative Colony, located 70 miles north and 20 miles east of Los Angeles, is a corporation operating under the state laws of the state of Nevada. Shares are sold at $2,000 each, and may be purchased outright or on the installment plan, at the option of the purchaser. Installments may be as low as $10.00 per month. When the sum of $1,000 has been paid in cash, the purchaser may move into the colony and pay the balance of $1,000 at the rate of one dollar a day out of the four dollars per day received as wages. Employment is continuous and permanent at the same rate for all kinds of labor and no discrimination as to sex, so long as adequate service is rendered.

The chief industries are: Agriculture and horticulture, which are conducted by irrigation from water supplied by Big Rock Creek, the water rights of which have been secured. There are also other industries in operation in shops and suitable buildings, such as a creamery, bakery, shoe factory, laundry, printery, blacksmith shop, carpenter shop, cabinet shop and machine shop, automobile garage, weaving shop, and barber shop.

A large dairy and silo supplied with alfalfa, corn and other products of the entensive colony farm. Three hundred Belgian hares and New Zealand rabbits supply fresh meat for the table and hides for the tannery, where they are made into gloves.

A very large poultry farm, stocked with Hoganized White Leghorns, supplies the eggs.

A large hog farm is stocked with standard breeds, such as Red Jerseys and some Berkshires. A large herd of cattle ranges on on the Forest Reserve, in the vicinity of Jackson's Lake, all around which is located a very large quantity of fine timber and where the colony has a large concession and a first-class saw mill in operation.

The location for the fish hatchery is an ideal one, near the headwaters of Big Rock Creek, where clear, cool water bubbles up out of the ground in large quantities and flows on down the canyon seven or eight miles to the colony, receiving additions by means of springs and other canyon streams on the way.

Pure water for domestic purposes has been obtained by driving a tunnel into the mountain three-fourths of a mile. This tunnel is six feet high and five feet wide, while the supply of absolutely pure water is unlimited as soon as a cement waterway can be constructed from the tunnel to the colony.

The population of 800 people, men, women and children, is being added to by natural increase and many new stock purchasers right along.

In the foregoing only some of the advantages of this cooperative effort are shown. Following are some of the things absent from the colony: There is no constable, justice of the peace or jailer, and no jail, as they have no use for one. No pool halls, gambling houses or bawdy houses exist in the community, and likewise no churches. Quite a few residents, however, are affiliated with religious bodies on the outside. The writer met Methodists, Baptists, Catholics and Mormons.

A Union Sunday School is held in the High School building. Recreation of a suitable character is provided free for young and old. For further particulars apply to Wm. Moore Claydon, Box 191, Safford, Arizona.

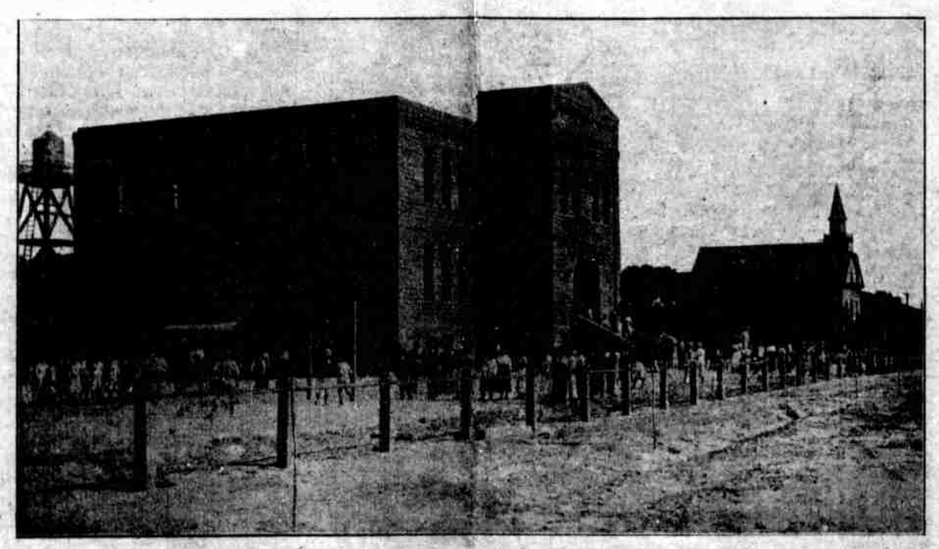
Notice

If you want to rent or buy any property I have in Safford, see C. B. Yett, who will take it up with me. J. M. FOSTER. adv-26-tf

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred registered Duroc-Jersey Boar Pigs, farrowed on June 11th. FRED SCOBLE, San Simon, Arizona.

Cure for Cholera Morbus

"When our little boy, now seven years old, was a baby he was cured of cholera morbus by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Mrs. Sidney Simmons, Fair Haven, N. Y. "Since then other members of my family have used this valuable medicine for colic and bowel troubles with good satisfaction and I gladly endorse it as a remedy of exceptional merit." Obtainable everywhere. adv-25-4t



THE GILA ACADEMY, THATCHER

The Gila Academy has issued its annual catalogue. This splendid institution will begin its next school year, Monday, August 21st, the date for registration and entrance examination. The first semester will begin Tuesday, August 22d.

ARIZONA STATE FAIR

Secretary Shaughnessy Visits Valley in Interest of Local Horses

Thomas D. Shaughnessy, secretary of the Arizona State Fair Commission, arrived here from Globe Tuesday morning to confer with Victor Holding, president of the Graham County Fair Commission, and LeRoi C. Snow, who is secretary of the commission, about matters relating to the coming State fair, and particularly about the entries in the big stake events of local horses, owned by Mr. Holding, Henry Gray and others.

Mr. Shaughnessy has been very successful as secretary of the State Fair Association and is an enthusiastic booster for Graham county's annual fair, from which he expects many fine exhibits of the valley's products for the State fair.

Mr. Shaughnessy has been making a tour of the State in the interest of the State fair and is particularly enthusiastic over the way the Aizrona horsemen are responding. He stated that already entries had been received from a number of local horsemen and that others have declared their intention of entering soon. Some of the horses entered are: Irene Strathmore, Miss Axworthy Dillon, Maydella, and the colts—Mona Hall, Pineknot and Bellzebola, owned by T. E. Pollock, of Flagstaff; Lillian Van, Mabel Van and Gay Tommy, owned by J. R. Lambert, of Phoenix, and Zombrino and Kildare, owned by Dr. J. G. Belt, of Phoenix.

Mr. Lambert's string are racing at the present time through the middle west and according to the reports of Horse Journals, are rounding into excellent shape.

Dr. Belt's pacer, Zombrino, and his trotter, Kildare, have been winning numerous races the past six weeks throughout southwestern Canada.

In connection with the Arizona horse program, attention is called to the fact that this year's entries for the colt races will close September 1st, a month earlier than the other events. The reason for this is, that in the event the colt races fail to fill, other races will be substituted and advertised immediately.

Four races are offered this year for Arizona colts, as follows: Two-year-old trot; two-year-old pace, three-year-old trot, three-year-old pace; with a purse of $500.00 for each.

It has been the policy of the State Fair Commission in the past to encourage the horsemen in the State, and six races are set apart this year for Arizona horses only.

Benefit Dance for Company B

A benefit dance will be given at Safford Armory tomorrow (Saturday) evening. All the latest dance music by the Safford Orchestra.

The proceeds of this dance will go toward wiping out the indebtedness incurred in preparing the Armory for Company B.

Everybody is invited and a good time is assured all who attend.

$10.00 Reward

For return of one black and one bay horse, branded E R, to E. W. RICHARDSON, Algodon. Strayed July 15, 1916. adv-24-3t

Socialist Party Nominates Ticket

The socialist party has nominated the following candidates for State officers:

For Presidential Electors—Mrs. Pruitt, Beverly Blunt and J. E. Pawley.

For Governor—Peter T. Robertson.

For United States Senator—W. S. Bradford.

For Congressman—J. R. Barnette.

For Secretary of State—Alice S. Eddy.

For Auditor—J. M. Hall.

For Treasurer—E. Johnson.

For Attorney General—W. S. Crowe.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction—Mrs. Emma Williams.

For Justice of the Supreme Court—J. N. Morrison.

For Corporation Commissioner—H. F. Kane.

For Mine Inspector—P. W. Galentine.

For Tax Commissioner—J. B. Corbin.

The campaign committee will consist of the following: Mrs. George D. Smith, Eugene Middleton and M. Bogaseljevich.

The Birdnos Leave for Phoenix

John J. Birdno, Receiver U. S. Land Office, who has been spending his vacation here with his family as guests of his daughter, Mrs. E. H. Larson, left here Wednesday morning for Phoenix, accompanied by Mrs. Birdno and daughters, Misses Blanche and Lorraine. They made the return trip to Phoenix in Mr. Birdno's Oldsmobile.

Mrs. Birdno's health was greatly improved by her visit here, she and her daughters having preceded Mr. Birdno by several weeks. She expects to spend several weeks in Prescott, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Lorraine, during the latter part of this month.

In Globe the Birdno party was joined by Tom Shaughnessy, secretary of the Arizona State Fair Commission.

Must Register for State Election

THE GUARDIAN'S attention has been called to the fact that there are a number of people in town who registerod for the town primary and town elections, who have not registered for the State primary and general elections, under the belief that they do not have to register again.

This is a serious mistake, as all electors must register for the State elections, such registration holding good for any State elections which may be held during the next two years.

All electors who have not registered for the State primary and general elections, should do so at once and not lose their chance for voting.

The registration for the primary election will close Tuesday, August 22d.

FLAG FOR COURT HOUSE

The Woman's Club will present the county with a 14-foot flag, which the club has ordered made in Denver, Colo. The flag will be received in time to be unfurled to the breeze when the court house is turned over to the board of supervisors as completed by Contractor Eagan.

Good Roads for Graham County

SUPERVISORS MEET

McNeil Co., Phoenix, Lowest Bidder for New Court Room Furniture

The Board of Supervisors convened Monday in regular monthly meeting at the court house. Present: Chairman George A. Foote, and Geo. A. Matthews and James Quinn, members.

The minutes of the previous meetings were read by Clerk Layton and approved by the board.

Mrs. Ida Kreuger, whose husband is a private in Company B, now on duty at Naco, was granted an indigent allowance of $10.00 per month.

A petition from citizens at Lompoc, asking the board to build a new road through Stockton Pass to Lompoc, was read, and after considering the matter, the board decided that it was impossible at this time to build this much needed road on account of insufficient funds for this purpose.

A committee from the Graham County Fair Commission, headed by W. W. Pace, appeared before the board on a proposition for the county to purchase the fair grounds.

Mr. Pace stated that the stockholders of the Gila Valley Fair Association had made a very reasonable price on the property, with a practical loss of over $2,000 on their investment and had also given terms of long time purchase. Mr. Pace also stated that if the county fair was to be held annually, the fair grounds should be owned by the people.

The board took the matter under advisement and deferred action until the September meeting.

A committee from the Graham County Fair Commission appeared before the board and asked for an appropriation of $2,000. After considering the matter fully, the board allowed $500.

Representatives from C. F. Weber and Co., of Los Angeles, Cal., and the McNeil Co., of Phoenix, were present at the opening of the bids for supplying furniture for the Superior Court room in the new county court house. The McNeil Co. being the lowest hidder, was awarded the contract, at $682.50.

Mrs. Arthur Woolsey appeared before the board in behalf of Mrs. Eddie Campbell, of Artesia, and asked for an indigent allowance. The board granted Mrs. Campbell an allowance of $10.00 per month.

The matter of a new road from Tenth street to the county road on the west line of the county poor farm, was taken up by the board and considered. The board entered an order to open a road from the southeast corner of the poor farm, running west to west line of poor farm; thence north along said west line to the county road. Dr. W. E. Platt, who ownstthe land adjoining the poor farm on the west, also gave one-half rod off his land for this new road.

Property for Sale

Written or verbal bids will be received until August 19th for the purchase of the Packer place, north of Layton Church. House to be torn down and street to be opened up to full width; also cement sidewalk put in. See C. C. CARR. adv-26-1t

Burial caskets carried in stock by Gila Valley Furniture and Hardware Store. tf

TROUBLE IN CAMP

Professional Organizer Creates Discord in Hunt Labor Unions' Club

The most optimistic and encouraging reports are being received from all portions of the State of the growing popularity of George A. Olney, candidate for the democratic nomination for governor of Arizona.

While this encouraging condition exists as to Mr. Olney, there are evidences of dissatisfaction in the camps of the enemy. When the board of governors of the Hunt Labor Unions' Club, of Phoenix, met as an auditing committee recently, a mighty dissension arose as to who is to pay the bills incurred under the name of the club. A professional organizer of clubs had been engaged to obtain names to swell the list of membership and he succeeded most admirably, getting, it is claimed, 2,000 names.

If proper inducements are offered it does not seem to be any trouble for him to get names to place on the list of a club, no matter what its purpose, and he was charged with enrolling everybody he met with.

From a statement of the amount of money paid for obtaining these signatures the market price seems to have been twenty cents per, the total amount aggregating $400, an amount which the union men objected to paying.

Primarily a labor union organization, many not connected with the unions, it was charged, were enrolled on the membership list and hence the objection of the club becoming responsible for the expense. The failure of the professional organizer to hold a card in any union was another cause for complaint.

With the machinery of this club not running smoothly, another Hunt club has been organized which gives promise for greater harmony. It is called the "Economic League" and its membership consists of Leroy Ladd, secretary to Gov. Hunt, and C. M. Zander, member of the Tax Commission and professional political machine builder. In order to make it "non-partisan" they took a republican member in as secretary and have engaged space in a local publication to disseminate their political information through.

Even with the organization of three clubs, in an endeavor to secure the united support of organized labor, they have failed to accomplish this object both in Phoenix and Tucson, where some of the most enthusiastic workers for the nomination of George A. Olney are found in the ranks of the unions. They are not only contributing of their time, but entirely unsolicited, are contributing to the campaign in other ways, and those who are presuming on the present governor receiving the solid vote of organized labor are counting without their host.

With the complete refutation of the charge that Mr. Olney had advocated the passing of the mine tax bill, and with the exposure of the official record of Governor Hunt urging upon the first State legislature the passage of a bill, identical in its provisions, for basing the valuation of mines for taxable purposes, they are now casting about for some new issue to go before the people with, coupled with an appeal for votes to continue the incumbent in office for another term.

Good Roads for Graham County

Bray Out for Justice of Peace

Jewett P. Bray has announced his candidacy for the nomination of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the democratic party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

Mr. Bray is a young man of good education and fine character, and is fully capable to hold the office he seeks.

The Best Laxative

To keep the bowels regular the best laxative is outdoor exercise. Drink a full glass of water half an hour before breakfast and eat an abundance of fruit and vegetables, also establish a regular habit and be sure that your bowels move once each day. When a medicine is needed take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are pleasant to take and mild and gentle in effect. Obtainable everywhere. adv-25-4t

PRESIDENT MAY SETTLE STRIKE

Chief Executive's Influence May Be Needed If U. S. Mediation Fails

ARBITRATION IS REJECTED

Operators Hold Conference with the Board of Mediation in New York City

A New York dispatch states that if the United States Board of Mediation and Conciliation, which was called in Wednesday, fails to adjust the differences between the railroads of the country and their 400,000 employes, President Wilson will be asked to use his personal influence to avert a general strike. This statement was made Wednesday by a representative of the railroad managers, who have been negotiating with the men since June 1st for a peaceful settlement.

The appeal to the president would be the last resort and would be taken only to save the nation from the trade paralysis that would follow a strike of the magnitude planned by the railroad men.

Late Wednesday night efforts of the federal mediators to bring the contending factions together were well under way. Six hours after the railroad managers had served notice on the men that they would withdraw their formal rejection of the workers demands and had proposed federal mediation, the mediators and the managers were closeted in secret session. Mediation was suggested in lieu of arbitration under the Newlands act or by the Interstate Commerce Commission proposals, which had been rejected by the brotherhoods.

Autos Clash, Nobody Hurt

Tuesday afternoon, about 6:00 o'clock, while Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Orr and Mrs. Place, of El Paso, Texas, and Mrs. W. A. Wilson, of Solomonville, were on their way to the former county seat in the Orr auto, Mrs. Orr driving, they collided with an auto driven by Chris Merrill, on Tenth street, near N street.

Mrs. Orr was thrown against the brake and fainted. She was taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. O'Bryan, where she was attended by Drs. Martin and McWhirt. Mrs. Orr soon recovered and beyond the shock and fright occasioned by the collison, she was unhurt. Neither machine was damaged.

M Street Will Now Be Opened

Charles C. Carr, A. T. West and J. R. Welker closed out the deal with A. E. Brooking for the property just north of Layton Church. The fence on the east of the property is to be moved back, the house torn down, cement sidewalks put in and the street graded from A. T. West's place to the church property. This will be a big improvement to this end of town and one long needed.

Nearly means enough to cover the loss of the house has been raised by subscription. An itemized statement of this deal will appear in THE GUARDIAN in a short time.

FRUIT JARS

The Pace Hardware Company announces that it has received a large supply of Kerr, Mason and Economy fruit jars, which are offered at the following prices: Pints, 50 cents per dozen; quarts, 60 cents per dozen, and half gallons at 85 cents per dozen.

On Regular Trip

Dr. Schell, the well-known Optometrist and Optician of Tucson, is now on his regular quarterly visit in the valley, and will be at Thatcher until Saturday morning (of this week); Safford on Saturday and until noon Sunday, and at Solomonville noon Sunday until noon Monday. If your eyes need attention, call on him for expert service. adv-26-1t

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

R. F. McBRIDE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

THOMAS G. ALGER.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

FRANK RICHARDSON.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff, subject to the action of the Republican Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

JOHN W. COLVIN.

For State Representative

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of State Representative, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

A. C. PETERSON.

For State Senator

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of State Senator, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

D. H. CLARIDGE.

For County Recorder

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Recorder, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

C. OLIVER LARSON.

For County School Superintendent

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County School Superintendent, subject to the action of the Republican Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

S. C. HEYWOOD.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County School Superintendent, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

D. DUDLEY JONES.

For Supervisor

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Supervisor, District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

J. T. OWENS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Supervisor, District No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

GEORGE A. FOOTE.

I hereby announce the candidacy of W. A. Lines for the nomination of Supervisor, District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

GEO. A. MATTHEWS.

For County Treasurer

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

C. T. REYNOLDS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Republican Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

J. A. DUKE.

For County Attorney

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916

E. L. SPRIGGS.

For State Superintendent of Public Instruction

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of State Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

J. A. RIGGINS.

For Justice of the Peace

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, subject to the action of the Democratic Party at the Primary Election, September 12, 1916.

JEWETT P. BRAY.

Have our republican friends given up tariff agitation as a means of stopping the wave of prosperity?

WE PROGRESSIVES.

(New York World)

HARKENING BACKWARD

The American voter of today is not so gullible as he was a generation or a decade ago.

He treats his own judgment above the dicta of leaders or the pledges of platforms.

He looks at the candidate first and his associates afterwards.

If the one seems good and the others seem bad, he knows that little of benefit can come to himself by an association of the two.

Spiels of rhetoric, inflamed oratory and factional appeals do not move him to vote against his own studied sense of the situation and its enveloping conditions.

He must be shown rather than directed.

Every great political campaign has become a campaign of education in which the mind and not the passions must be addressed.

Mr. Hughes has not for many years been an active figure in politics.

Peculiar conditions made him the nominee of his party.

What his position on the great issues of the day shall be, only time can reveal. What he at present hopes to accomplish if elected is locked up in his own breast.

But what those about him, the men who made him the nominee, propose to do is easily within popular conjecture.

When we see the old guard of the republican party rallying to him, we know that its purpose is to secure in exchange for privilege the same old masters who so long maintained it in power for their advantage.

When we see such men as Crane, of Massachusetts, and Lodge, of the same state, Penrose and Oliver, of Pennsylvania, Reed Smoot, of Utah, Brandegee, of Connecticut, Lippitt, of Rhode Island, Dupont, of Delaware, Gallinger, of New Hampshire, and Sherman, of Illinois, not to mention others of minor importance, we are at the same time the old senatorial cabal at work for self galvanization and recrudiscence.

We see the proposed return of privilege to power, of partisanship to perpetuity, of plutocracy to the saddle.

We see a government that is to be run in the interest of capital and an orgie of legislation that bodes ill for the millions.

We see tariff legislation that will put the burden off the shoulders of the former and upon the backs of the latter.

We see the bartering of places and the restoration of the lobby.

We see the European war taken advantage of for political purposes and the hazard of bloody deviltry threatening the peace and honor as well as the prosperity of the nation.

We see the Mexican situation held out as a bait to Mexican-American investors in adventurous enterprises in that misery-ridden country, and the latter's destiny imperilled by the jingo cries of those who would secure money-profit from its invasion and degradation.

It is the same old crowd—disguise them or their purposes you cannot—and they mean to restore the old order with Hughes their available means to so deplorable an end.

Unless all portents err, the American people know all these things and are prepared to act accordingly.

WATCH US GROW

The work of laying the concrete sidewalks on both sides of Tenth street, from K to I streets, is progressing nicely and in a few weeks will be completed.

The new county court house is looming up at the head of Tenth street, as a thing of beauty and a joy forever. It will be the finest public building in the State when completed, and this advent will happen in the next two weeks.

The Bank of Safford's new addition is now rapidly reaching the finished stage and when completed, this popular banking house will have one of the handsomest buildings in the State.

Several of our business men are busy on plans for erecting new buildings on Tenth street, which assures work during the coming winter for the building trades.

Plans are also being prepared for the erection of new homes, as well as for several more rentable buildings, which are much needed by the increasing population of the town.

Safford is certainly looking good these days and it will not be long before our town will be looming up as one of Arizona's leading cities. Watch us grow.

ARE THEY SUB-MARINES

Can a citizen volunteer for training in the duties of the United States Marine Corps, holding himself in readiness to take the place of a regular marine killed in war, be properly termed a sub-marine?

That is what the "rookies" now at the Marine Corps training camp in Lansdowne, Pa., would like to know.

Friends of the citizen "sea soldiers" are telling them that a marine, not regularly a marine, although coached in the signals and likely to be called upon to "pinch hit" for a regular marine, must necessarily be a sub-marine.

The "rookies" themselves say that Noah Webster overlooked this knotty problem when he wrote his best seller, and they are calling on sports editors to decide the question.

It is easy to understand how the leader who so readily swapped a bull moose for an elephant can see no danger to the country swapping horses while crossing a stream.

The big "Hunt for Governor" meeting in Douglas last Thursday evening showed conclusively how popular the "Galahad of Arizona" is with the people of that progressive city. Three spectators, including the individual who advertised the meeting, and one lone newspaper reporter showed up. The thousands remained away, evidently finding more real pleasure and satisfaction reading the newspaper accounts of George Olney's popularity with the progressive classes of Arizona's citizenship.

When former Congressman Richard Bartholdt, of St. Louis, visited the republican managers in New York and told them that Missouri would elect a republican senator and that the German vote in the state would be almost unanimously against President Wilson, it is safe to say he was not transmitting the official opinion of the voters of his old congressional district. They refused to send him to the Chicago convention, although he displayed an unusual desire to be their delegate.

When it is considered that republican leaders in congress constantly have demanded military intervention in Mexico, it is difficult to follow Representative Mondell, of Wyoming, who recently declared in the House, "We would not have had on hand the expensive and deplorable Mexican situation, for a republican administration would not have created the muddle that makes heavy expenditures on the border necessary.

The "notes" of President Wilson and his accomplished Secretary of State will be accepted by chancellories of the future as models of diplomatic assertiveness. They have brought to the great American nation prosperity with honor and peace without groveling.

When the Bull Moosers gather from nearby and from afar and away, and the strident notes of Roderick's bugle call to follow his valorous lead into the republican camp, what the echoes answer is hardly fit to print.

Democrats throughout the country are elated with confidence. Every opposition fails against enthusiasm that associates with itself a determination to win.

A Hacking Cough Weakens the System

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF GRAHAM, STATE OF ARIZONA. } ss.:

SAFFORD, ARIZONA,
July 3, 1916.

Pursuant to adjournment of meeting of June 7, 1916, the Board of Supervisors met as a Board of Equalization, as required by Paragraph 4883, of Chapter 5, Title 49, Revised Statutes of Arizona, 1913.

Present: Geo. A. Foote, Chairman; Geo. A. Matthews, Member; James Quinn, Member; Martin Layton, Clerk; Myron Allred, Assessor.

The minutes of the June meeting of the Board of Equalization were read and approved.

The affidavit of the manager of THE GRAHAM GUARDIAN, a weekly newspaper, published in Safford, Graham County, Arizona, which is the official newspaper of the said county, showing that a proper list of all the proposed raises and additions, proposed by the Board of Equalization at its June meeting, had been published by said paper for three consecutive weeks, ending July 1, 1916, as provided by law, having been filed, and it appearing to the Board that a personal notice of such proposed raises and additions had been given by the clerk, the Board proceeded to consider the equalization of assessments and to hear the protests of taxpayers.

Jas. H. Mack appeared before the Board and objected to the addition made at the June meeting of 42 acres of cultivated land and 38 acres of dry farming land, in the N ½ NW ¼ of Sec. 13, T. 6, R 24.

M. L. Wood appeared in behalf of the John Ellis estate and protested against the raise of 50 head of range cattle made by the Board at the June meeting. It appearing to the Board that the estate had disposed of said cattle, therefore ordered the said raise not to be entered on the assessment roll.

A. T. Wilson appeared in behalf of the Double Circle Cattle Co., and protested against the raise made by the Board at the June meeting of of 1,500 head of range cattle.

A. L. Wassem appeared before the Board and protested against the raise of 714 head of range cattle made by the Board at the June meeting.

Abel Sanchez appeared before the Board and protested against the raise of 10 head of range cattle, made by the Board at its June meeting, and it appearing to the Board that the raise was in error, the Board instructed the clerk not to enter it on the assessment roll.

Gilbert Richardson appeared before the Board and objected to the assessed value of 8 acres of irrigated land, placed on the same by the assessor. The Board, after duly considering the same, instructed the clerk to reduce the same from $400 00 to $300.00.

J. D. Busby appeared before the Board and protested against the following described property: Beginning 86 rods south and 28 rods east of the northwest corner of Sec. 33, T. 5, R. 24, 12 acres of irrigated land, being assessed to him, on the grounds that he did not own the same. The Board, after investigating the same, found him to be correct and ordered the clerk to strike the same from his assessment.

J. I. Palmer appeared before the Board and protested against his assessment, as assessed by the assessor, the same being in error of one acre of land, and the value of his land being placed too high. The Board, after investigating the same, found that he had only 39 acres of land, instead of 40, as assessed by the assessor, and also that the assessor had placed the value on the same too high; therefore, they instructed the clerk to deduct one acre of land from his assessment and reduce the same $575 00 in value.

Mrs. Arthusa Hoopes appeared before the Board and protested against her assessment as assessed by the assessor. It appeared to the Board that the personal property was in error; therefore, the Board ordered the clerk to deduct the same from her assessment.

It appearing to the Board that the improvements on the following described property: SE ¼ of SE ¼, and NE ¼ of SE ¼ of Sec. 17, T. 7, R. 27, 80 acres of irrigated land, belonging to W. B. Sloan, was in error, the said property having no improvements; therefore, the Board ordered the same to be deducted from the said assessment.

On information had from the Sierra Bonita Cattle Co., the Board, after considering the same, instructed the clerk to countermand the raise made at their June meeting.

S. S. Marshall appeared before the Board and protested against the proposed raise on the following described property: 160 acres of land in the NW ¼ of Sec. 17, T. 6, R. 25, made by the Board at the June meeting.

The Board after considering the information furnished them by W. W. Boren, in regard to the raise and addition made by them on the following property: 15 acres cultivated land, one horse and one fence, instructed to clerk to enter the said property on the assessment roll.

William McRae appeared before the Board in behalf of the Citizens Bank, of Thatcher, and requested the Board to reduce the assessment of the bank $860.00, on the ground that there was an error made in making up the list by them. The Board, by the information had and furnished to them, after duly considering the same, instructed the clerk to deduct the said amount from their assessment list.

The Board having heard the protests of all the taxpayers and representatives of taxpayers who had appeared, and being fully advised, does, on motion duly put and carried, order that the property belonging to the following persons, corporations, firms and other holders, be equalized finally and definitely fixed for the purpose of taxation for the year 1916, to-wit:

Alexander Bros., 440 acres dry farming land, NW ¼ NE ¼, N ½ of SE ¼, NE ¼ of SW ¼, Sec. 35, T. 4, R. 23, $4,500.00.

Lillian Alexander, Lots 3 and 4, S ½ NW ¼, Sec. 2, T. 5, R. 23, $1,570.00.

Aravaipa Mining Co., mining claims, $36,000.00.

A. A. Barney, E ½ SW ¼, Sec. 10, T. 7, R. 25., 70 acres waste land, $380 00.

G. H. Boyle, improvements on homestead, $200.00.

W. W. Boren, SE ¼ NE ¼, Sec. 31, T. 5, R 24, 15 acres dry farming land, $375.00; one horse, $40.00; fence, $20.00:

Jesus Bacca, 350 head of goats, $700.00.

E. W. Clayton, automobile, $600.

Jesus Carosco, E ½ SE ¼ and Lot 10, Sec. 18, T. 7, R. 27, 45 acres irrigated land, $5,500 00.

Double Circle Cattle Co., range cattle, 12,700 head, $317,500 00; two and three-year-old steers, 800 head, $24,000.00

M. B. Echols, 20 head of pigs $150.00; one cream separator, $40.00.

George Felshaw, 75 head range cattle, $1,875.00.

Hugh Foster, E 3-5 SE ¼, NE ¼, Sec. 10, T. 6, R. 24, 23 acres dry farming land, $1,150 00.

Ph. Freudenthal, improvements, N ½, Lots 1, 3 and 5, Block 47, Safford, $5,500.00.

H. L. Firth, automobile, $250 00.

Casimero Garcia, merchandise, $2,000 00.

Gila Valley Milling Co., warehouse, Pima, $400.00; merchandise, $2,181.00.

T. H Holladay, Lots 1 and 3, Block 3, Pima, $300.00.

L. A. and W. H. Johns, two automobiles, $1,200.00.

D. L. Johns, one automobile, $500.00.

Presley Johnson, 297 head of range cattle, $7,476.00.

Heber Kempton, 100 head range cattle, $2,500.00.

Mrs. Mary Kennedy, 2,497 head range cattle, $62,425.00.

J. J. Kennedy, one automobile, $600.00.

H. C. Layton, one automobile, $400 00.

Robert Morris, one automobile, $600.00.

W. A. Moody, 40 head heifers, $1,400.00.

Louis Michelina, one automobile, $400 00.

S. S. Marshall, NW ¼, Sec. 17, T 6, R. 25, 160 acres irrigated land, $5,810.00.

James H. Mack, N ½ NW ¼, Sec. 13, T. 6, R. 24, 42 acres irrigated land, $4,200 00; 38 acres dry farming land, $175.00; improvements on SW ¼, Sec. 31, T. 5, R. 24, $150 00; fence, $50.00.

Caleb B. Martin, 285 head range cattle, $7,125.00.

Aaron Nelson, two horses, $200.00; one wagon, $30 00.

J. I. Palmer, SW ¼ NE ¼, Sec. 17, T. 6, R. 25, 39 acres irrigated land, $2,425 00.

I. P. Robinson, one automobile, $600 00.

W. R. Reed, one automobile, $400.00.

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The best answer is Dr. King's New Discovery itself. It's a pleasant, sweet syrup, easy to take. It contains the medicines which years of experience have proven best for coughs and colds. Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery longest are its best friends. Besides every bottle is guaranteed. If you don't get satisfaction you get your money back. Buy a bottle, use as directed. Keep what is left for cough and cold insurance. adv-no1

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THE TRAIL BLAZERS

Francis T. Fuller, Mormon Missionary in Ohio, Doing Splendid Work

Elder Francis T. Fuller, of the Eden Ward, St. Joseph Stake, the "Baby" elder of the Ohio State conference of the Southern States Mission, leads the Ohio conference president's weekly report the third week in the missionary field.

This is a remarkable record. His parents, bishop and friends should boost and give him all the encouragement and support they can.

Elder Francis T. Fuller, of Eden, Arizona, and Elder Golden Taylor, of Provo, Utah, the "trail blazers" of Lawrence, Galla and Meiggs counties, Ohio, are highly commended for the splendid work that they are doing in the country missionary work.

They are covering new country that no other elders have ever been over on account of the difficulties of mud roads and forest trails, as they are called, which they have traveled. They have gained many friends.

The last three weeks Elder Fuller has visited 293 homes, had 234 gospel conversations, sold five Book of Mormons, one Pearl of Great Price, one Doctorine and Covenant's, 27 small 10 cent books, 33 small 5 cent books, given away 832 tracts and pamplets, and has held two cottage and four street meetings. He walked 174 miles, and reports great success in securing entertainment. He missed only three meals in three weeks, and has had a good bed to sleep in every night.

One man told them he would rather feed two Mexican spies than two Mormon elders.

They had a very exciting morning at a place they stayed all night at a little town in Lawrence county, Ohio.

"A Holiness Minister" (known as a Holy Roller), saw Elder Fuller and Elder Taylor walking, and as he was in a hack, asked them to ride. They accepted, as it was getting late, about 6:00 o'clock p. m. They told him they were Mormon elders and no sooner done so than he asked them if they wouldn't go and stay all night with him. They accepted. He told them he had heard a lot about the Mormons, but had never seen any and told them he would show them and prove to them that he had greater gifts of God than they had and they would admit it to him before they left the next morning, but he failed. They did not know what he was, although they had made up their minds that he must be another minister, as they had only met four Baptist, five Methodist and two Presbyterian ministers the past two weeks, so they thought he must be a minister.

They both had secret prayer, asking God to help them and dictate to them words to say to him and not let him show them anything. They arrived at his place after about a two-mile ride down the road.

His wife and daughter had supper waiting, which was certainly appreciated by the elders, as they had walked about 16 miles that day. The Holiness had a family of nine.

After supper, he took our elders into his parlor and got his bible from the book case. The elders opened up their grips and got out their bibles and song book's. The minister started the argument, but in about twenty minutes he was whipped, so he asked the elders if they played the organ, and as Elder Fuller plays very nicely, he favored them with several instrumental selections. Then Elders Fuller and Taylor sang some good old Mormon songs, "High On the Mountain Tops," "Prayer is the Soul's Most Sincere Desire" and "O My Father" and others, after which the Holy Roller asked for them to send him one of the "Songs of Zion" song books, which they have since done.

At 11:30 o'clock the children were getting very sleepy, so he asked the elders to have prayer with his family. Elder Fuller offered the prayer, and "amen," "Glory to God in the Highest" was given by the Holy Roller and several members of the family also when any part of the prayer pleased them. This was very embarrassing to our baby missionary, but he rendered a splendid prayer, if he was enterupted by "Amen" and "Glory to God in the Highest."

They gave the elders a bed upstairs and they retired at 11:45 p. m. and had a nice, peaceful night's rest, but were awakened from their deep slumber at 4:30 in the morning, by the Holy Roller coming up the stairs. He crossed to the east side of the room, seized a "sword" from the wall, pulling it from its shield, brandishing and waving it through the air, came toward the bed and asked the elders if they knew what it was. Elder Taylor answered, "yes, sir." Then the Holy Roller threw the sword, it stuck up in the floor about six inches from Elder Fuller's head. He came and got it and said boys do you know what this is for?

By that time Elder Fuller had collected his thoughts together and said: "No, sir, we don't know what it's for and we are not worrying a bit what it's for."

He then brandished it over his head, came nearer to the bed and said: "I use it to cut the head's off from all the followers of Joseph Smith," at this he threw the sword and it stuck up in the ceiling just over the bed. The elders were a little frightened, but did not show it, and he then took the sword and put it up, and said, "boys, get up, breakfast will soon be ready."

Before the elders left his place, he said if you fellows had got scared or mad when I assaulted you, with the sword, I would have known your work was of the devil, but I believe you are sincere in your belief and that the Lord is with you.

The elders left him a Book of Mormon and other pamphlets, which he promised he would read.

"Such is a missionary's life in the Southern States," says Elder Fuller.

Would you like to take a journey
o'er those rough and verdant hills?
Then just leave your purse with
President Calles and deposit all
your bills.
Come along with me and Taylor,
and we'll take you o'er the
route,
If you think that we're not humans,
we'll dispel that foolish doubt.
Now don't mind that measley money,
leave behind you every cent,
All it takes is faith and but-in for
we're "ministerial tramps."
Up that Portsmouth pike we'll hike,
that's the road we'll take today.
For we've got some friends to visit
and we'll do it on our way.
We'll start you out quite easy, only
twenty miles at first,
Then we'll work up to thirty-seven,
or "bust."
Grab your grips and let's be going,
just walk fast, you needn't run.
For this hill is a mighty steep one
and the worst is yet to come.
Don't get near that little red house,
there's a Catholic woman there,
And she likes a "Mormon elder"
like a bulldog likes a hare.
Hear that telephone bell ringing;
they just pass it down the line,
"There's some Mormon elders coming,
lock your doors and draw
your blinds."
So you say you're getting hungry?
We'll ask for dinner, by jings. I
had not noticed it's a quarter
after noon.
You may ask at that house and hold
your mouth just so, or hungry
all day we must go.
"Mister, we're awful hungry (hunger
sure makes one bold),
And we're traveling without any
money, as the apostles did of
old.
"What! feed a Mormon elder? No!
Well, you fellow's, there's the gate
and you had better hit the road
before it's too late.
Are they all like him? By hum!
No, that man was pretty decent for
the worst is yet to come.
We'll just draw our belts up tighter
and we'll leave a notch for supper,
If we get turned down again to
night, we'll have to draw them
tighter.
So on we trudge all afternoon with
out a bit to eat,
Stopping now and then to rest our
tired and blistered feet.
We have covered now full twenty
miles ere the setting of the sun.
And we haven't had our supper yet,
but the worst is yet to come.
Do you see that big house yonder,
with the barn all painted red.
There's where we'll get our supper
and in the barn we'll make our
bed.
Now follow close behind me and
wear that weary look,
For we must get our supper, if it
costs us both a book.
How my knees have knocked to-
gether, and I prayed with all
my might,
"We're Mormon elders, Mister, can
we stay with you tonight."
"We really haven't room, boys, but
I'll tell you where you can,
Just you go to my next neighbor,
he's a real thorough Christian
man."
So we called upon his neighbors,
and we told our tale of woe,
But the town's so full of Christians
it just keeps us on the go.
Now we're weary, faint and jaded,
with our patience all forlorn,
We take our final refuge in that
farmer's ancient barn.
Soon dead to all the world, and
buried deep in the hay,
We dream of home and loved one's
in the land of far away.

To tax the larger incomes and inheritances and profits upon war munitions to pay for military preparedness, the republicans of course will say, is an extremely pernicious procedure. Far better to tax the clothes you wear and the food you eat—what?

It is the "denatured" Roosevelt that is supporting the pussy-foot Hughes-Fairbanks ticket.

Should Sloan's Liniment Go Along?

Of course it should! For after a strenuous day when your muscles have been exercised to the limit an application of Sloan's Liniment will take the soreness and stiffness away and get you in fine shape for the morrow. You should also use it for a sudden attack of toothache, stiff neck, backache, stings, bites and the many accidents that are incidental to a vacation. "We would as soon leave our baggage as go on a vacation or camp out without Sloan's Liniment." Writes one vacationist: "We use it for everything from cramps to toothache." Put a bottle in your bag, be prepared and have no regrets. adv-no 2

NOTICE

Office of the Town Clerk, Town of Safford, State of Arizona:

Notice is hereby given that the original assessment roll of all assessable property within the corporate limits of the Town of Safford, Arizona, for the year 1916, has been filed in this office and is now open for public inspection at the office of the Town Clerk, Safford, Arizona.

Also that the Town Board of Equalization will hold its annual meeting in said Town of Safford on the second Monday of August, 1916, according to law.

J. C. ELLSWORTH,
adv-25-2t Town Clerk.

Liver Trouble

"I am bothered with liver trouble about twice a year," writes Joe Dingman, Webster City, Iowa. "I have pains in my side and back and an awful soreness in my stomach. I heard of Chamberlain's Tablets and tried them. By the time I had used half a bottle of them I was feeling fine and had no signs of pain." Obtainable everywhere. adv-25 4t

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Sheriff's Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M. Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. R. Pena Estate, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $18.99, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 1-4 in the Town of Solomonville, Graham County, State of Arizona; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Notice is hereby given that, on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1916, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the court house door of said county, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will sell all said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs.

Dated the 7th day of August, A. D. 1916.

T. G. Alger,
As Sheriff of said Graham County, Arizona.
By W. A. Bennett,
As Deputy Sheriff of said County.
adv-26-3

Sheriff's Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M. Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. Jesus Sainz, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $33.68, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 1 and 4, Block 39, in the Town of Solomonville, in Graham County, State of Arizona; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Notice is hereby given that, on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1916, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the court house door of said county, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will sell all said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs.

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The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M. Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. H. S. Van Winkle, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $44.75, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, to-wit:

Block No. 12 in the Town of Fort Thomas, in the County of Graham, State of Arizona; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Notice is hereby given that, on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1916, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the court house door of said county, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will sell all said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs.

Dated the 7th day of August, A. D. 1916.

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By W. A. Bennett,
As Deputy Sheriff of said County.
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Sheriff's Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M. Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. Percopia Serna, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $30.16, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, to-wit:

In Ricardo Sanchez entry, Sec. 35, Tp. 6 S., R. 27 E., G. and S. R. B. and M., and containing five acres; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1916, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the court house door of said county, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will sell all said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs.

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In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M. Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. Bud Holland, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $31.10, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, towit:

That portion of the W ½ of the SE ¼ of Sec. 13, Tp. 5 S., R. 23 E. of the G. and S. R. B. and M.; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Notice is hereby given that, on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1916, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the court house door of said county, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will sell all said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs.

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In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M. Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. W. S. Ross, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $89.40, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, to-wit:

All that part of the SE ¼ of Sec. 36, Tp. 6 S., R. 27 E., of the G. and S. R. B. and M., beginning 12.91 chains west of the SW corner of Sec. 36, Tp. 6 S., R. 27 E., and running thence West 13.91 chains; North 41.65 chains; East 8.11 chains; thence Southeast to the point of beginning, and containing 44 acres; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

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The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. Pedro Moreigo, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th, day of June, A D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $22 85, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th, day of July, A D 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, to-wit:

In the SE ¼ of Sec. 35, Tp. 6 S., R. 25 E., of the G. and S. R. B. and M., containing two acres; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

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As Sheriff of said Graham County, Arizona.
By W. A. Bennett,
As Deputy Sheriff of said County.
adv-22-3

Sheriff's Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M. Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. M. Serna, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1916, in the above entitled cause, for the sum of $32.13, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, towit:

The SW ¼, Sec. 17, Tp 8 S., R. 26 E., of the G and S. R. B. and M., containing 160 acres; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Notice is hereby given that, on the 26th day of August, A D 1916, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m and four o'clock p. m of said day, at the court house door of said county, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will sell all said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs.

Dated the 7th day of August, A D. 1916

T. G. Alger,
As Sheriff of said Graham County, Arizona.
By W. A Bennett,
As Deputy Sheriff of said County.
adv-26-3

Sheriff's Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M. Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. John M. Damron, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $31.21, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, towit:

W ½, Lot 1 in Block 29 in the Town of Thatcher, in Graham County, State of Arizona; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Notice is hereby given that, on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1916, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the court house door of said county, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will sell all said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs.

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As Deputy Sheriff of said County.
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Sheriff's Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M. Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. Toribia Bacca, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $56.67, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, towit:

30 acres in Sec. 35, Tp. 6 S., R. 27 E., G. and S. R. B. and M., all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Notice is hereby given that, on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1916, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the court house door of said county, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will sell all said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs.

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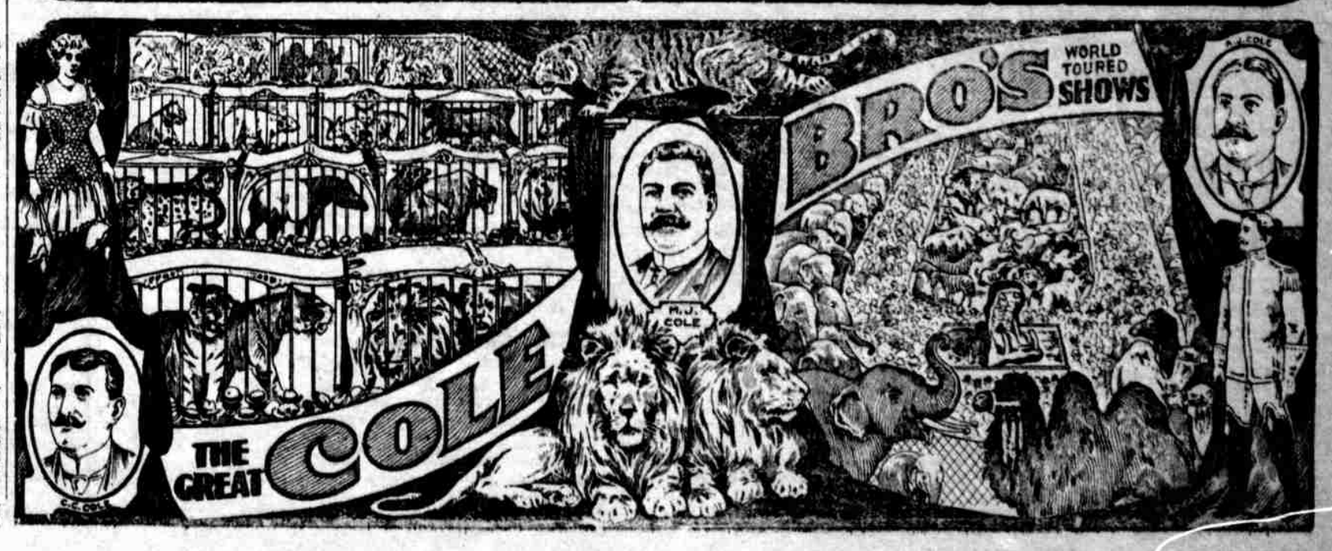
SAFFORD, AUGUST 18, 1916



PRESENT BURNING OF BAD FAITH STRUCTURE

Such a Burning Has Never Taken Place Until Now.

Day of the Lord a Period in the Close of the Present Age—Burning Now Under Way—Faith Structure of Many Destroyed—Christians Only Have Had a Structure Built on Christ. Structures of Gold, Silver and Precious Stones Will Stand—All Others Will Be Consumed—Some Christians Saved "So as by Fire"—The Faithful Now Being Made Manifest.

New York City, Aug. 6.—Pastor Russell was at the New York City Temple today, and delivered an address of great power. His text was, "Every man's work shall be made manifest, for the Day shall declare it, because it shall be revealed by fire; and the fire shall try every man's work of what sort it is."—1 Corinthians 3:13.

The Pastor declared that his text was one of many Scriptures which apply to our day. The reference is not to a twenty-four-hour day, but to a period of time in the end of this Gospel Age, during which things will be different from what they had been before. The context shows that the text deals only with Christians; for these alone build upon Christ. One class builds with the truths of God's Word; the other, with the wood, hay and stubble of tradition and creeds of the Dark Ages. The light of knowledge is consuming the false-faith structures of the majority of professed Christians. In discarding the errors of the past many have also discarded true faith in God and His Word. Those whose faith structures are unharmed are only those who understand God's Word.

The Scriptures show that God has divided the history of the world under its sin and death experiences into six great Days of a thousand years each, to be followed by a great Sabbath Day. God has given fallen man this Work Week in which to demonstrate what the race can do toward their own uplift, to prove whether they can manage themselves. Mankind have tried in vain to overcome the weaknesses and infirmities of the race—mental, moral and physical. Gradually the whole world is being convinced that unless the Almighty shall assist them, they are hopeless.

We have reached the end of man's Work Week. Now is the Day of reckoning. We are living in the Day of the Lord, in which occur special trials, blessings and enlightenment. As the fire of trouble spreads, the light of Truth spreads also. The whole world is being involved. This is exactly what the Bible has predicted for this Day of the Lord.

"The Fire of That Day."

The Scriptures represent God as a consuming Fire and as Light. (Hebrews 12:29; 1 John 1:5.) Both figures of speech apply to Him. The sun is a ball of fire and a source of light. God is a consuming fire to every form of iniquity, of injustice. Therefore all systems founded upon selfishness and inequity must go down in this great Day of the Lord, when He has risen to shake terribly the earth, to shake down all unrighteousness.—Isaiah 2:12-22.

In this present time of trouble and distress of nations, there is a blessing for "the children of the light," while the consuming fire is destroying everything wrong. This fire is burning up false faith and false doctrines, together with all that is built therewith. Much that is taught and accepted as Truth is utterly subversive of all true faith and doctrine. The fire of God in this Day of Christ will destroy all this false teaching and the works thereof.

The great universities of Europe and America today are hot-beds of infidelity, although the majority of them were originally established for the Christian education of our youth. To-day there are few Christian colleges. Young people sent to these institutions of learning soon lose faith in the Bible as the Word of God. The fires of knowledge almost consume their faith in God. These young people need our help; for many of them wish to believe, if only they knew what is right, what is true.

When we tell them about the fall of Adam, the Redemption in Christ, the selection of the Church during this Gospel Age, and the blessing of all mankind during the next Age, when the willing and obedient shall, through the Messianic Kingdom, be helped out of sin and death into life and peace, we give them something that is soul-satisfying. The Evolution theory, on the other hand, is poor comfort to a hungry, sorrowing heart.

The Scriptures indicate that everything except the Truth and structures built thereupon will be consumed in this Day, begun more than forty years ago. Not only the ecclesiastical "heavens," but the social "earth," with all its elements—political, financial, etc.—will be burned. The fire will last even down into the Millennial Age; for our God is irreconcilably opposed to all injustice, impurity and unrighteousness. After His work has been accomplished, ours will be a clean world.

Just the Thing for Diarrhoea

"About two years ago I had a severe attack of diarrhoea which lasted over a week," writes W. C. Jones, Buford, N. D. "I became so weak that I could not stand upright. A druggist recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The first dose relieved me and within two days I was as well as ever." Many druggists recommend this remedy because they know that it is reliable. Obtainable everywhere. adv-25 4t

COUNTY BUDGET

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1917

As required by Paragraph 4840, Chapter II, Title 49, Revised Statutes of Arizona, 1913, the Board of Supervisors of Graham County, State of Arizona, submit the following estimate (or budget) of amount of revenue required for the year 1917, to be raised by taxation, together with the estimate of amount of revenue for the year 1916:

SCHEDULE A

Expenditures (Excluding Schools)

GENERAL FUND

	Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimate for Present Fiscal Year
Assessor's Office:		
Assessor, salary	$1,200 00	$1,200 00
Chief Deputy	850 00	525 00
Expense, Miscellaneous	750 00	750 00
Total	$2,800 00	$2,475 00
Attorney's Office:		
Attorney, salary	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Expense, miscellaneous	400 00	200 00
Total	$1,900 00	$1,700 00
Board of Supervisors, Office:		
Chairman, salary	$750 00	$750 00
Members, salaries (2)	1,200 00	1,200 00
Clerk, salary	1,200 00	1,200 00
Publishing minutes, etc	500 00	500 00
Extending assessment rolls	250 00	250 00
Expense, miscellaneous	1,000 00	500 00
Postage	50 00	50 00
Total	$4,950 00	$4,450 00
Court House and Jail Building Maintenance:		
Janitor, salary	$600 00	$600 00
Water, lights, fuel, ice, insurance and telephones	1,025 00	2,750 00
Repairs to building and equipment	.....	600 00
Expense, miscellaneous	150 00	50 00
Total	$1,775 00	$4,000 00
Elections:		
Registration	$150 00	.....
Election officers, per diem	1,500 00	$300 00
Printing ballots, notices, etc.	1,200 00	100 00
Expense, miscellaneous	500 00	10 00
Total	$3,350 00	$410 00
Health Department:		
Superintendent of health, salary and expenses	$600 00	$600 00
Indigent, supplies	3,500 00	3,500 00
Burial of indigents	150 00	150 00
Quarantine	1,000 00	200 00
County hospital, contract	1,600 00	2,000 00
Expense, miscellaneous	200 00	200 00
Coroner, salary	50 00	100 00
Expense, miscellaneous	150 00	50 00
Examination of insane	100 00	50 00
Total	$7,350 00	$6,850 00

Justice Court—Precinct Offices:

Precinct	Detail of Estimate, Present Year: Justice	Constable	Expense	Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimate for Present Fiscal Year
Safford, No. 1	$480 00	$480 00	$80 00	$965 00	$1,040 00
Solomonville, No. 5	240 00	180 00	50 00	445 00	470 00
Pima, No. 6	240 00	240 00	60 00	540 00	540 00
Thomas, No. 7	120 00	90 00	40 00	220 00	250 00
Bonita, No. 8	120 00	90 00	100 00	280 00	310 00
Klondyke, No. 9	120 00	90 00	100 00	280 00	310 00
Thatcher, No. 12	240 00	240 00	60 00	540 00	540 00
Eden, No. 13	120 00	90 00	20 00	200 00	230 00
Stanley, No. 14	120 00	90 00	20 00	200 00	230 00
Central, No. 15	120 00	90 00	20 00	200 00	230 00
Total				$3,870 00	$4,150 00

Miscellaneous Expense:		
Bounty on wild animals	$200 00	$200 00
Fair, county	525 00	525 00
Immigration commissioner, salary	240 00	.....
Expense, miscellaneous	1,000 00	1,000 00
Immigration fund	500 00	.....
Total	$2,465 00	$1,725 00
Recorder's Office:		
Recorder, salary	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Chief deputy, salary	600 00	600 00
Expense, miscellaneous	400 00	200 00
Total	$2,500 00	$2,300 00
Sheriff's Office:		
Sheriff, salary	$2,000 00	$2,000 00
Chief deputy, salary	1,200 00	1,200 00
Deputies, salaries	600 00	600 00
Deputy, ranger, salary	1,500 00	600 00
Traveling expense, sheriff and deputies	1,200 00	1,200 00
Prisoners' meals	750 00	600 00
Office, expense	300 00	300 00
Total	$7,550 00	$6,500 00
Superior Court:		
Judge, salary	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Clerk, salary	1,500 00	1,500 00
Reporter, salary	1,200 00	1,200 00
Probation officer, salary	150 00	150 00
Interpreters	100 00	100 00
Bailiffs	300 00	300 00
Jurors' fees and mileage	2,000 00	2,000 00
Jurors' meals	100 00	100 00
Outside and indigent witnesses	1,200 00	1,000 00
Office expense	300 00	350 00
Total	$8,350 00	$8,200 00
Treasurer's Office:		
Treasurer, salary	$1,500 00	$1,500 00
Expense, miscellaneous	300 00	250 00
Total	$1,800 00	$1,750 00
Court house furnishings	.....	$2,500 00
Jail, payment	.....	2,915 00
Total	.....	$5,415 00
Back Salaries:		
County attorney (George H. Crosby, Jr.), back salary for the years 1912, 1913 and 1914	.....	$1,208 86
County treasurer (F. M. Layton), back salary for the years 1912, 1913 and 1914	.....	1,383 33
County assessor (D. D. Phillips), back salary for the years 1912, 1913 and 1914	.....	1,697 90
Supervisors (W. A. Nelson, Phil C. Merrill and A. C. Peterson), for the years 1912, 1913 and 1914	.....	2,433 56
Total	.....	$6,673 65
Grand Total General Fund	$48,660.00	$56,598.65
Road Fund:		
Engineer, salary	$600 00	$1,500 00
Expense of engineer	200 00	300 00
Maintenance and repairs:		
Roads, bridges and equipment, labor and supplies	10,000 00	10,000 00
Bridge fund	18,000 00	.....
Back salary (road superintendent, W. R. Foote), for the years 1912, 1913 and 1914	.....	1,400 00
Total	$28,800 00	$13,200 00
Grand Total, Road Fund	$28,800 00	$13,200 00
Bond Fund:		
State refunding bonds, interest	$6,305 00	$6,000 00
" " " redemption	5,525 00	5,525 00
Court house bonds, interest	2,500 00	2,500 00
" " " redemption	.....	2,500 00
Total Bond Fund (except school bonds)	$14,330 00	$16,525 00
Grand Total Expenditure (except schools)	$91,790 00	$86,323 65

SCHEDULE B

Receipts from All Sources Other Than Direct Taxation

	Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimated for Present Fiscal Year
Attorney's fees	.....	.....
Board of Supervisors' fees	$27 00	$23 00
County hospital and farm receipts	.....	.....
Dog taxes	.....	.....
Estates, unclaimed	.....	.....
Forest Reserve apportionment, road and school fund	1,118 30	1,090 00
Hides, receipts from sales of	3 00	.....
Interest, county deposits	2,753 91	1,800 00
" delinquent taxes	395 00	250 00
Justice court fees	403 00	350 00
" " fines	197 00	125 00
Licenses	224 00	226 00
Recorder's fees	1,993 30	1,995 00
Road taxes (poll)	2,054 00	2,056 00
School receipts	822 00	750 00
" taxes (poll)	3,265 00	3,267 50
State aid to high schools	248 72	1,300 00
" road fund apportionment	.....	.....
" school " "	23,468 89	23,500 00
Superior court fees	1,896 02	1,750 00
Tax collector's fees	412 00	400 00
United States prisoners' meals	.....	.....
Sheriff's fees, etc	147 00	125 00
County bond interest	7,368 24	7,368 24
Total	$46,797 33	$46,375 74

Distribution of Above Receipts

General fund	$5,642 38	$4,448 00
Road fund interest	2,654 00	2,556 00
Bond fund	7,368 24	7,368 24
Sub-total	$15,664 62	$14,372 24
General school fund	28,495 69	28,458 50
High school, State aid	248 72	1,300 00
Total	$44,409 03	$44,130 74
State and county tax	395 00	250 00
Salary fund	1,393 30	1,995 00
Total	46,797 33	$46,375 74

SCHEDULE C

Summary (Except Schools)

	General Fund	Road Fund	Bond Fund	Totals
Receipts and Expenditures (actual) for Past Fiscal Year:				
Expenditures (Schedule A)	$88,072 59	$16,151 59	$6,323 42	$110,547 60
Receipts, other sources (Schedule B)	15,398 92	2,654 00	.....	18,052 92
Net Expenditures from funds levied	$72,673 67	$13,497 59	$6,323 42	$92,494 68
Receipts and Expenditures (estimated) for Present Fiscal Year:				
Estimated expenditures (Schedule A)	$56,598 65	$13,200 00	$16,525 00	$86,323 65
Estimated receipts, other sources (Schedule B)	15,398 92	2,654 00	.....	18,052 92
Estimated net expenditures from funds to be raised by direct levy	$41,199 73	$10,246 00	$16,525 00	$67,970 73
Unexpended balances, or deficits, in funds July 1st	13,044 68	645 51	1,521 27	15,211 46
Proposed levies for present fiscal year	$28,155 05	$9,600 49	$15,003 73	$52,759 27
Revenue, Past Fiscal Year:				
Amounts levied	$48,660 00	$28,800 00	$14,330 00	$91,790 00
Receipts, other sources (Schedule B)	15,398 92	2,654 00	.....	18,052 92
Total revenue from all sources	$64,058 92	$31,454 00	$14,330 00	$109,842 92
Less special levy bridge fund	.....	.....	.....	18,000 00
				$91,842 92
Ten per excess allowed by law	.....	.....	.....	9,184 42
Maximum limit within which all revenue for present fiscal year must come	.....	.....	.....	$101,027 34
Estimated Revenue, Present Fiscal Year:				
Proposed levies (see above)	$28,155 05	$9,600 49	$15,003 73	$52,759 27
Estimated receipts, other sources (Schedule B)	15,398 92	2,654 00	.....	18,052 92
Total estimated revenue, present fiscal year, which is within the maximum limit specified	$43,553 97	$12,254 49	$15,003 73	$70,812 19

SCHEDULE D

Schools

General School Fund—Common Schools Maintenance

(Except Excess Requirements in Certain Districts.)

District No.	Average Daily Attendance	Actual Expenditures, Past Fiscal Year	Est. Expenditures, Present Fiscal Year	Balances in Dist. Funds July 1st	Est. Requirements, Present Fiscal Year
1	388 58	$10,462 05	$13,841 80	$2,831 96	$13,841 80
4	321 73	9,460 91	8,635 00	3,770 07	11,511 85
5	157 29	4,279 04	5,345 00	2,701 76	5,513 55
6	253 14	7,231 61	8,650 00	3,860 41	8,960 00
7	55 90	1,326 54	1,624 00	289 01	1,997 45
8	42 00	1,406 90	1,625 00	340 47	1,631 00
9	18 13	814 11	1,000 00	180 01	1,000 00
10	91 68	3,181 05	2,860 00	1,611 61	3,313 45
11	63 48	1,930 88	1,755 00	979 52	2,268 00
12	91 80	2,646 08	2,800 00	906 84	3,297 00
13	17 91	936 98	1,000 00	186 02	1,000 00
15	22 16	857 34	1,000 00	240 65	1,000 00
16	19 59	825 74	850 00	362 61	1,000 00
17	33 75	1,340 58	1,100 00	111 24	1,264 90
20	65 57	1,641 11	1,648 00	1,029 44	2,318 40
21	34 00	929 53	1,050 00	212 01	1,190 00
23	24 80	725 92	911 00	394 81	1,149 05
25	22 80	845 05	970 00	75 25	1,000 00
26	42 37	1,453 95	1,359 50	.....	1,516 90
28	19 80	944 52	860 00	56 91	1,000 00
29	16 00	690 55	860 00	307 66	1,000 00
31	28 15	976 72	965 00	249 06	1,000 00
34	69 61	2,423 81	2,580 00	.....	2,586 15
40	19 55	867 42	875 00	348 78	1,000 00
41	17 00	888 37	960 00	44 01	1,000 00
43	21 00	818 30	968 00	135 54	1,000 00
44	11 96	722 79	900 00	220 91	1,000 00
47	28 43	992 35	980 00	395 93	1,000 75
49	8 53	679 45	835 00	304 80	1,000 00
50	21 00	861 73	1,000 00	186 35	1,000 00
51	10 95	742 77	880 00	133 89	1,000 00
2	.....	.....	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00
3	.....	.....	1,000 00	.....	1,000 00
Totals:	2,038 66	$63,904 15	$72,687 30	$22,467 38	$80,369 25
Reserve fund (10 per cent of estimated requirements)					8,036 92
Total, common schools maintenance (except excess requirements in certain districts)					$88,406 17

GENERAL COUNTY EXPENDITURES

	Actual for Past Fiscal Year	Estimate for Present Fiscal Year
Superintendent, salary	$1,200 00	$1,200 00
Deputy, salary	125 00	.....
Traveling expense of superintendent	150 00	150 00
County institute	500 00	500 00
Expense, miscellaneous	237 70	375 00
Total, general county expenditures	$2,212 70	$2,225 00
Additional common schools maintenance (see above)	63,904 15	88,406 17
Total, general school fund requirements		$90,631 17
Receipts, other sources (see Schedule B)		28,495 69
Net		$62,135 48
Unexpended balance or deficit in general school fund July 1st		769 24
Total, proposed levy for general school fund		$61,366 24

SCHEDULE E

Schools

Excess Maintenance Requirements—Common Schools

Dist. No.	Est. Requirements Present Fiscal Year	Average Daily Attend.	Amount Provided by Gen. Sch. Fund (Schedule D) Per Capita	Total	Balance to be Raised by District Levy Manual Training
4					$700 00
5					775 00
6					200 00
Totals					$1,675 00

SCHEDULE F

Schools

High School Maintenance

Dist. No.	Aver. Daily Attend.	Actual Expenditures, Past Fiscal Year	Est. Expenditures, Present Fiscal Year	Balance in Dist. Funds July 1st	Est. State Aid, Present Year (See Sch. B)	Proposed Levy, Present Fiscal Year
1	49.51	$4,436 59	$7,800 00	$110 55	$1,300 00	$7,800 00
Totals:	$49 51	$4,436 59	$7,800 00	$110 55	$1,300 00	$7,800 00

SCHEDULE G

Schools

Bonded Districts

Dist. No.	Purpose of Levy,	Actual Expenditures, Past Fiscal Year	Est. Expenditures, Present Fiscal Year	Balances in Funds July 1st	Proposed Levy Present Fiscal Year
1	Building Bond, Redemp'on & Int.	$21,588 79	$2,973 33	$65 69	$2,907 64
4	Bldg. Rd. Int.	535 00	40,935 00	38,292 08	2,642 92
5	Redemp'on int.	830 00	825 00	200 43	624 57
6	" "	638 00	625 00	172 97	452 03
7	" "	370 75	700 00	41 87	658 13
9	Building "	2,144 34	3,416 66	3,226 06	190 00
10	" "	.....	8,400 00	8,000 00	400 00
12	Interest	196 00	392 00	257 77	134 23
15	Redemp'on int.	70 00	500 00	325 73	174 27
20	Interest	168 00	336 00	187 45	148 55
25	"	90 00	90 00	22 06	67 94
28	"	30 00	90 00	47 76	47 24
41	Building	.....	7,138 83	7,138 83	.....
Totals		$26,660 88	$66,421 82	$57,978 70	$8,448 12

SCHEDULE H

Summary of Proposed Levies—Schools

General School Fund, entire county (Schedule D)	$90,631 17
Excess maintenance requirements, certain districts (Schedule E)	1,675 00
High school maintenance, certain districts (Schedule F)	7,800 00
Bonded districts (Schedule G)	8,448 12
Total to be raised by direct taxation for school purposes	$108,554 29
Total school census for county	3,171

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing August 14, 1916, at which time any taxpayer who may appear will be heard in favor of or against any proposed tax levies, or for or against the adoption of said estimate (or budget).

The Board will also meet on the 21st day of August, 1916, for the purpose of making tax levies as set forth in said estimate.

MARTIN LAYTON,
Clerk, Board of Supervisors,
Graham County, Arizona.

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Two Way Plows
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Dried Beans	@ 7c	per lb.
Macaroni	@ 10c	per lb.
Rice	@ 10c	per lb.
Potatoes	@ 2c	per lb.
Corned Beef	@ 12c	per lb.
Butter	@ 35c	per lb.
Prunes	@ 12c	per lb.
Cheese	@ 24c	per lb.
Steak	@ 24c	per lb.
Milk	@ 8c	per qt.
Eggs	@ 35c	per doz.

How much energy can you buy for a dime? It all depends on the kind of food for which you exchange your good money.

The above diagram shows "BELLE FLOUR" at a normal price, it is the food that yields the greatest amount of energy for the expenditure of 10 cents, or any other given amount of money, and the supremacy proves how wise the human race has been to give Flour such an important place in its diet for more than four thousand years.

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SAFFORD, ARIZONA

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SAFFORD, ARIZONA

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ST. JOSEPH STAKE

Meetings and Appointments for the Month of August

The quarterly conference of the St. Joseph Stake will be held in the Thatcher Ward, Saturday and Sunday, August 26th and 27th.

Everybody is invited and it is expected that all wards and branches will have representatives present.

High council will meet at 11:00 a. m., Sunday, August 13th.

Stake officers will meet at 2:00 p. m., Sunday, August 13th.

The Stake priesthood meeting will be omitted, on account of the Stake conference, which will take its place.

High Council Appointments for August 20th

Lebanon	C. O. Larson
Layton	J. H. Lines
Thatcher	G. A. Foote
Central	J. N. Heywood
Pima	D. H. Claridge
Fairview	D. H. Weech
Redland	M. Mickelson
Emery	James A. Duke
Eden	R. G. Layton
Bryce	J. T. Brown
Hubbard	John Bilby
Graham	Austin Evans

At the meeting of the bishops in July, it was resolved that a roll of the ward officers shall be called in sacrament meetings. This resolution is agreeable to instructions from the presiding authorities of the Church. This roll is to include: Bishopric, ward clerk, chorister, acting teachers, presidency and secretary of each of the organizations. Each division will answer by rising to the call of the organization and the ward clerk will credit each individually.

Rogers' Jitney Line

George Rogers announces that he has added a new seven-passenger Studebaker auto along with his Dodge car, on his jitney line to Pima. The Rogers' Jitney Line has its headquarters at Safford Stables. Phone 13.
adv-23-2t

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

(Continued from Page Two.)

Gilbert Richardson, SW ¼ NE ¼, Sec. 33, T. 5, R. 24, eight acres irrigated land, $300.00.

Standard Oil Company, merchandise, $6,630.00.

A. L. Wassem, 1,700 head range cattle, $42,500 00.

A. D. Welker, one automobile, $400.00.

J. R. Welker, N ½ SW ¼, Sec. 6, T. 7, R. 25, 80 acres dry farming land, $2,285.00.

John West, 450 head range cattle, $11,250.00.

A. T. West, 1,210 head range cattle, $30,250.00.

Webb-Boyle Cattle Co, 275 head range cattle, $6,875.00.

Josephine Bullis, mining claims, $18,900.00.

The work of equalization being completed, the Board adjourned sine die.

GEO. A. FOOTE,
Chairman.

Attest:
MARTIN LAYTON,
Clerk.

Ranch for Sale

Seventy acres of fine ranch land in Lebanon, all well-fenced; plenty of water; farm machinery; five mares and one Percheron colt; wagon, buggy and harnesses; forty head of hogs; two Jersey cows and two calves; turkeys and chickens. A cash value will be placedon this property and a reduction of one-fourth of price will be made to obtain a sale.

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Notice

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the lessee of the Grand Reef mines, or by the Laurel Canyon Mining Company.

R. V. DEY,
Owner of the Grand Reef mines.
adv-29-tf

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Lieut. Bryan, U. S. N. stated before the Am. Soc. of Naval Engineers: "Oils made from the asphalt-base crudes have shown themselves to be much better adapted to motor cylinders, as far as their carbon-forming proclivities are concerned, than are paraffine-base Pennsylvania oils."

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COLE BROS.' WORLD-TOURED SHOWS

The greatest and biggest show to pay us a visit this year will be Cole Bros.' World-Toured Show and Trained Wild Animal Exhibition, with a whole army of notable artists brought direct from Europe, all absolutely new to American audiences. This season Cole Bros' have combined their shows into one big, giant three-fold show offering a grand hipprodrome, menagerie and gorgeous spectacular ballet. Coming in their own steel cars, with everything spic and span, with the largest collection of trained wild animals ever brought together in captivity. These highly educated denizens of the jungle seem to possess almost human intelligence, and Cole Bros. have increased their already large zoological congress by a number of elephants, lions, camels and grizzly bears. Hundreds of high class acts are presented in the arena, and the number of high school and posing horses, high jumping horses are legion. Indeed Cole Bros. are renowned for the superlative beauty of these equine wonders; no show traveling carries a finer assortment of thoroughbred horses and ponies. Novelties galore are shown under the big top and as an innovation the Cole Bros. will introduce an American ballet of the world's most graceful dancers. These exquisitely formed young ladies, fresh from their Parisian triumphs, appear as if moulded by the sculptor's art. They are grace personified, and in a whirlwind dancing novelty are alluring specimens of feminine beauty. Miss Irene Clare, a statuesque beauty, who represents "Peace" in the "Marble Nymphs," has won the prize for the most perfectly formed woman in Continental Europe. The grand free street parade is a revelation in lavish splendor. This is the show that you are waiting for—the worth while show. Don't forget that the date will be Friday, August 18th.

Good Roads for Graham County

Sheriff's Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M. Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. Joseph T. Clark, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $37.58, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A. D 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, towit:

The W ½ of the SW ¼ and the NE ¼ of the SW ¼ and the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Sec. 33, Tp. 10 S., R. 22 E., G. and S. R. B. and M., containing 160 acres; all in said County and State; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1916, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the court house door of said county, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will sell all said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs.

Dated the 7th day of August, A. D. 1916.

T. G. Alger,
As Sheriff of said Graham County, Arizona.
By W. A. Bennett,
As Deputy Sheriff of said County.
adv-26-3t

Sheriff's Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona

The State of Arizona, at the relation and to the use of Frank M Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. Eleno Bealobas, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $37.58, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A D 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 6 in Block 6 of Pomeroy addition to the Town of Solomonville, Graham County, State of Arizona; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Notice is hereby given that, on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1916, between the hours of ten o'clock a m and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the court house door of said county, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will sell said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs.

Dated the 7th day of August, A. D 1916

T. G. Alger,
As Sheriff of said Graham County, Arizona.
By W. A. Bennett,
As Deputy Sheriff of said County.
adv-26-3

Sheriff's Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M. Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. National Mining and Exploration Company, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $270.92, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, to-wit:

Patented mines in Lone Star Mining District, Graham County, State of Arizona, named respectively: Everybody's, Black Copper, Pearson's, Randolph No. 6, Argosy, Bonita and Popular; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Notice is hereby given that, on the 26th day of August, A. D. 1916, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m, and four o'clock p..m. of said day, at the court house door of said county, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will sell all said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs.

Dated the 7th day of August, A. D. 1916.

T. G. Alger,
As Sheriff of said Graham County, Arizona.
By W. A. Bennett,
As Deputy Sheriff of said County.
adv-26-3

Sheriff's Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona at the relation and to the use of Frank M. Layton, as Treasurer and Tax Collector of said County, plaintiff, vs. Grace Dodge Naquin, defendant.

In pursuance of a judgment and order of sale rendered and made by said Court on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1916, in the above-entitled cause, for the sum of $27.91, besides accruing costs, and pursuant to an execution in said cause issued out of said Court on the 8th day of July, A. D. 1916, commanding me to seize and sell according to law all of the real estate described in said judgment to satisfy the same, I have levied on all said real estate, which is described as follows, to-wit:

The SE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Sec 12, Tp. 7 S., R. 24 E, G. and S. R. B. and M., and containing 40 acres; all being and situate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Notice is hereby given that, on the 26th day of August, A, D. 1916, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. of said day, at the court house door of said county, by public auction to the highest bidder for cash, I will sell all said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs.

Dated the 7th day of August, A. D. 1916.

T. G. Alger.
As Sheriff of said Graham County, Arizona.
By W. A. Bennett,
As Deputy Sheriff of said County.
adv-26-3

SUPERIOR COURT NOTICE

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

In the matter of the estate and guardianship of David Heywood, Velma Heywood, Robert T. Heywood and Irving Y. Heywood, minors.

Notice of sale of real estate.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court in and for the County of Graham, State of Arizona, made on the 29th day of July, 1916, in the matter of the estate of David Heywood, Velma Heywood, Robert T. Heywood and Irving Y. Heywood, minors, the undersigned, the guardian of said estate, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder, for cash, subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on Monday, the 21st day of August, 1916, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., at the office of Stratton & Lynch, Safford, Arizona, the following described real property, to-wit:

An undivided four-fifths of an undivided one-half of the following described premises: Beginning at a point 40 rods South and 39 2-3 rods West of the Northeast corner of the Northeast quarter of Section 11, in Township 7 South, Range 25 East of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, in Graham County, Arizona, and running thence South 80 rods; thence West 39 2-3 rods; thence North 80 rods; thence East 39 2-3 rods to place of beginning, containing 20 acres more or less, together with one share of Montezuma water stock appurtenant thereto.

Terms of sale: Cash.
Dated August 2, 1916.

S. F. HEYWOOD,
Guardian of the estate of said minors.
adv-25-3t

SUPERIOR COURT NOTICE

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

In the matter of the estate of Albert W. Hawkins, a minor.

Notice of sale of real estate

Notice is hereby given. That in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court, in and for the County of Graham, State of Arizona, made on Monday, the 31st day of July, 1916, in the matter of the estate of said Albert Hawkins, the undersigned, the guardian of the person and estate of said Albert Hawkins, a minor, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on Monday, the 21st day of August, 1916, at ten o'clock a. m., at the residence of said guardian, W. W. Hawkins, in the Village of Eden, in the said County of Graham, State of Arizona, the following described real property, to-wit: One-sixth of the following tract: Beginning at a point 80 rods north of the Southeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section 28, Township 5 South, of Range 24 East of the Gila and Salt River Meridian, running thence West 21 rods; thence South 46 rods; thence East 21 rods; thence North 46 rods to the point of beginning. Also an undivided sixth of the following tract: Beginning 41 rods West and 80 rods North of the Southeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section 28, Township 5 South, Range 24 East of the Gila and Salt River Meridian, and running thence West 35 rods; thence South 46 rods; thence East 35 rods; thence North 46 rods to said point of beginning.

Terms of sale: Cash down in full, or part cash and notes well secured on the said land.

W. W. HAWKINS,
Guardian of the estate and person of Albert W. Hawkins, said minor.
Dated August 1, 1916. adv-25-3t

SUPERIOR COURT NOTICE

In the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

In the matter of the estate of Margaret Vining Tate, deceased.

Notice of sale of real estate.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court in and for the County of Graham, State of Arizona, made on the 29th day of July, 1916, in the matter of the estate of Margaret Vining Tate, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, subject to confirmation by the said Superior Court, on Monday, the 21st day of August, 1916, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., at the office of Stratton & Lynch, in the Town of Safford, in the said County of Graham, State of Arizona, the following described real property, to-wit:

Commencing at a point 5 chains East and 11 chains and 33 1-3 links North of the Southwest corner of the Northwest quarter of Section 11, in Township 7 South, Range 25 East of the Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian, Graham County, Arizona; thence East 14 chains; thence North 3 chains; thence West 14 chains; thence South 3 chains to place of beginning, containing 4 acres, more or less, exclusive of street on East 75 links wide, which is reserved as a street.

Terms of sale: Cash.
Dated August 2, 1916.

M. V. TATE,
Administrator of the estate of Margaret Vining Tate, deceased.
adv-25-3t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Mary Amanda Hayes, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Mary Amanda Hayes, deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after July 28, 1916, the date of the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of W. R. Chambers, Attorney at Law, Safford, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Dated, this 22d day of July, A. D. 1916.

JESSE B. HAYES,
Administrator of the Estate of Mary Amanda Hayes, deceased.
First publication, July 28, 1916.
Last publication, Aug. 25, 1916.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Martha J. Bingham, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Martha J. Bingham, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after July 21, 1916; the date of the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at his residence at or near the Town of Thatcher, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the said County of Graham, State of Arizona.

Dated this 14th day of July A. D. 1916.

W. R. BINGHAM,
Administrator of the estate of Martha J. Bingham, deceased
First publication, July 21, 1916.
Last publication, Aug. 18, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 028421

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, July 27, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Lewis P. Mattice, of Pima, Arizona, who, on September 27, 1915, made desert land entry, No. 028421, for Lot 12, Section 18, Township 6 S., Range 25 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described before A. G. McAlister, Judge Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 14th day of September, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John W. Mattice, of Pima, Arizona; George A. Bryce, of Bryce, Arizona; Don C. McBride, of Pima, Arizona; Wm. E. McBride, of Pima, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN,
Register.
First publication, August 4, 1916.
Last publication, September 1, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 014200

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, July 24, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph H. Lines, of Pima, Arizona, who, on April 17, 1911, made homestead entry, No. 14200, for S ½ NE ¼, Section 1, Township 7 S., Range 24 E., and Lot 5 and SE ¼ NW ¼, Section 6, Township 7 S., Range 25 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. G. McAlister, Judge Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 8th day of September, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

W. H. Ferrin, Wm. Kerby, Mrs. E. Craig, Archie Cluff, all of Pima, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, Aug. 4, 1916.
Last publication, Sept. 1, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 022909

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, July 22, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Perry M. Merrill, of Ft. Thomas, Arizona, who, on October 10, 1913, made homestead entry, No. 022909, for Lot 1 and S ½ NE ¼, Section 3, Township 5 S., Range 23 E, G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. G. McAlister, Judge Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 12th day of September, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

W. C. Rhodes, Carl Bryce, Oren Allred and Orzey Trian, all of Ft. Thomas Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, Aug. 4, 1916.
Last publication, Sept. 1, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 09074

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, August 2, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that John D. Goodman, of Pima, Arizona, who, on February 17, 1910, made homestead entry, No. 09074, for SW ¼ NW ¼, and NW ¼ SW ¼, Section 24, and on September 9, 1910, additional homestead entry, No. 012112, for N ½ SE ¼, Section 23, Township 7 S., Range 24 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-year final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 14th day of September, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Glen G. Root, of Pima, Arizona; Jessie H. Root, of Pima, Arizona; Adam Welker, Pima, Arizona; Joseph Bigler, Central, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN,
Register.
First publication, Aug. 11, 1916.
Last publication, Sept. 8, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 015199

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, July 22, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Bertha M. Mack (D. L. E., No. 015199), of Safford, Arizona, assignee of James A. Mack, who, on April 7, 1909, made desert land entry, No. 05542, for SW ¼ NE ¼ and SE ¼ SW ¼, Section 5, Township 6 S., Range 24 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. W. Smith, Clerk Superior Court, at Safford, Arizona, on the 12th day of September, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

James H. Mack, of Pima, Arizona; George A. Mathews, Joseph E. Follett and Clarence J. McElroye, all three of Fairview, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, Aug. 4, 1916.
Last publication, Sept. 1, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 0 22232

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, July 21, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that William H. Morgan, of Bonita, Arizona, who, on June 10, 1910, made homestead entry No. 08193, for SW ¼ SE ¼, SE ¼ SW ¼ and Lot 4, Section 31, and on April 22, 1913, made additional homestead entry, No. 022232, for Lot 3, NE ¼ SW ¼, NW ¼ SE ¼, SW ¼ NE ¼ and SE ¼ NW ¼, Section 31, Township 10 S., Range 22 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before L. V. McCourt, U. S. Commissioner, at Willcox, Arizona, on the 12th day of September, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Elmer R. Addington, Herleston W. Nichols, Ebenezer Smith and William M. Shrode, all of Bonita, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, Aug. 4, 1916.
Last publication, Sept. 1, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 014739

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, July 21, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Susan C. Morgan, of Bonita, Arizona, who, on June 21, 1911, made desert land entry, No. 014739, for NE ¼, Sec. 33, and N ½ NW ¼ and N ½ NE ¼, Section 34, Township 10 S., Range 22 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof under the Act of March 4, 1915, in the manner required of homestead claimants, to establish claim to the land above described, before L. V. McCourt, U. S. Commissioner, at Willcox, Arizona, on the 12th day of September, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Chas. W. Addington, Archabald C. Jessee, Elmer R. Addington and William Marvin Shrode, all of Bonita, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, Aug. 4, 1916.
Last publication, Sept. 1, 1916.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Serial No. 05857

U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, July 5, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Guy William Horn, of Pima, Arizona, who, on May 6, 1909, made homestead entry, No. 05857, for N ½ NE ¼ and E ½ NW ¼, Section 8, Township 7 S., Range 24 E., G. and S. R. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. G. McAlister, Judge Superior Court of Graham County, Arizona, at Safford, Arizona, on the 16th day of August, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Thomas H. Lamb, Joseph Horn, Chas. Y. Webb, Orson H. Robinson, all of Pima, Arizona.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN, Register.
First publication, July 14, 1916
Last publication, August 11, 1916.

Notice of Selection Under Act of Congress, Approved June 20, 1910.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE AT PHOENIX, ARIZONA
STATE OF ARIZONA

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the State of Arizona has filed in this office its Grant Selections, Lists Nos 465 and 473, Serial Nos 030605 and 030631, respectively, applying to select for purposes as specified below, the following described lands, to-wit:

List No 465, Serial No 030605, for the benefit of Legislative, Executive and Judicial Buildings—In T. 9 S, R. 23 E.: Lots 1, 2, 4; S ½ NE ¼; SE ¼; SW ¼ NW ¼; W ½ SW ¼, Sec. 5; Lots 1, 2; S ½ NE ¼; SE ¼; E ½ SW ¼, Sec. 6; N ½ NE ¼, Sec. 8; SW ¼; W ½ SE ¼, Sec. 17; Lot 4; NE ¼ NW ¼; NE ¼; N ½ SE ¼, Sec. 19.

List No. 473, Serial No. 030631, for the benefit of Payment of Bonds and accrued interest thereon of Maricopa, Pima, Yavapai and Coconino Counties

In T. 7 S., R. 19 E: All Sec 10 and 15
In T. 8 S., R. 21 E: N ½ NE ¼, Sec 13; W ½ NE ¼; E ½ NW ¼, Sec. 14; E ½, Sec 25. In T. 8 S., R. 22 E.: Lots 3, 4; E ½ SW ¼, Sec. 30.

(All in G. and S. R. M.)

During the five weeks' period of publication of this notice, any time thereafter and before final approval and certification, this office will receive protests or contests as to any of the tracts applied for and transmit the same to the General Land Office.

Dated at Phoenix, Arizona, July 10, 1916.

THOMAS F. WEEDIN,
Register U. S. Land Office.
JOHN J. BIRDNO,
Receiver U. S. Land Office.
Date of first publication, July 28, 1916.
Date of last publication, Aug. 25, 1916.

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SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of Graham County, Arizona.

W. G. Dunn and Thos. Dunn, doing business under the firm name of W. G. Dunn & Company, plaintiff, vs. H. W. Heinau, defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Graham, State of Arizona.

The State of Arizona sends greeting to H. W. Heinau:

You are hereby summoned and required o appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of the above-entitled Court at Safford, in the County of Graham, State of Arizona, within twenty (20) days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons, if served in this county; in all other cases within thirty days.

You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as required by law judgment by default will be taken against you.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court affixed thereto at Safford, this 12th day of July, 1916.

[SEAL] R. W. SMITH, Clerk.
By EVA F. EAKIN, Deputy Clerk.
First publication, July 14, 1916.
Last publication, August 11, 1916.

Notice of Selection Under Act of Congress, Approved June 20, 1910.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, AT PHOENIX, ARIZONA
STATE OF ARIZONA

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the State of Arizona has filed in this office its Grant Selections, Lists Nos. 478, 488 and 489, Serial Nos. 030664, 030674 and 030684, respectively, applying to select for the benefit of Payment of Bonds and accrued interest thereon of Maricopa, Pima, Yavapai and Coconino Counties, the following described lands, to-wit:

List No. 478, Serial No. 030664—In T. 7 S., R. 25 E.: S ½ NW ¼; NW ¼ NW ¼; SW ¼; S ½ SE ¼; NW ¼ SE ¼, Sec. 33. In T. 8 S., R. 25 E.: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4; SE ¼ NE ¼; SE ¼ NW ¼, Sec. 4; Lot 1; S ½ NE ¼, Sec. 5; N ½; E ½ SE ¼, Sec. 10; W ½ NW ¼; SW ¼; SW ¼ SE ¼, Sec. 11; NW ¼; E ½ SW ¼; W ½ E ½, Sec. 14; E ½ NE ¼, Sec. 15.

List No. 488, Serial No. 030674—In T. 8 S., R. 25 E.: Lots 2, 3, 4; S ½ N ½, Sec. 3; NW ¼; N ½ SW ¼; SW ¼ SW ¼, Sec. 23.

List No. 489, Serial No. 030684: In T. 8 S., R. 25 E.: Lots 2, 3, 4, Sec. 5.

(All in G. and S. R. M.)

During the five weeks' period of publication of this notice, or any time thereafter and before final approval and certification, this office will receive protests or contests as to any of the tracts applied for and transmit the same to the General Land Office.

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THATCHER NEWS

Miss C. Louise Boehringer spoke to a very appreciative audience at Thatcher Friday evening.

Miss Boehringer is a democratic candidate for State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Those who heard her speak were convinced that she is eminently qualified to hold the position which she seeks having specialized in public school supervision and administration.

Professor H. L. Payne left Friday morning for Columbus, N. M.

President Andrew Kimball left Sunday morning for Phoenix.

Mrs. Lydia Lamoreaux has been very ill for the last few days, but is slowly improving.

Miss Lucille Snow, who has been visiting with her brother, LeRoi C. Snow, the past month, left for her home in Venice, Cal., Monday morning.

Mrs. Clyde Matthews is here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lamoreaux.

Miss Nettie Miller left Monday morning for her home in St. David.

W. R. Bingham left Tuesday morning for a pleasure trip to Los Angeles.

Morris Mickelson went on a business trip to Willcox, Monday morning.

Master Karl Layton entertained a few of his friends in honor of his eighth birthday, Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Miss Iretta Layton.

The officers and teachers of the Thatcher Ward Primary had a social, Tuesday afternoon, in Amusement Hall. Dainty refreshments were served and the occasion was greatly enjoyed.

Miss Iretta Layton and Lynn Hoopes delightfully entertained their Sunday school class, Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Miss Layton.

Dave Phillips left for Los Angeles, Tuesday morning.

PIMA NEWS

M. and Mrs. G. B. Maloy and children and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Poulson spent Sunday and Monday at Emery visiting with relatives.

R. M. Kelley and son, Derwain, went to Clifton Sunday morning by auto and returned Wednesday.

Miss Thelma Norton returned home from Morenci last week, where she had been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Angus Maloy.

Mrs. L. M. Gustafason is improving her home by having a new room added to it.

Charles Burrell has purchased some land of Albert Haws and is preparing to erect a two-room cottage.

Mrs. Henry Haynie and little babe, of Morenci, arrived here Thursday and will visit with relatives for a while.

Albert Buffington is running a car between Pima and Morenci for the purpose of delivering eggs and vegetables in Morenci.

Mrs. Ella Grice and two children, of Globe, arrived here Sunday morning to visit with Mrs. Grice's mother, Mrs. Caroline Teeples.

Mrs. Heber Higgins and little daughter returned from Artesia Sunday, where they had spent the past week with Mr. Higgin's parents.

Mrs. Tom Mildren and two little children, of Morenci, are visiting with Mrs. Lucy Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ephriam Larson, of Fairview, who have been on missions for the past seven months, have returned home.

The Courinno Bee Hive Swarm of girls left for Mt. Graham Saturday for a hike and a week's outing.

Mrs. W. A. Lines and children have returned from Globe, where they have spent the past month.

All of the Bee Hive Girls met at the church house Tuesday at three o'clock and spent the remainder of the afternoon making flowers to be used for decorations at funeral services.

J. D. Cook, manager of the Arizona Lumber Company, arrived here Wednesday and is making a great improvement in the lumber yard, formerly owned by P. H. Teeples, but recently bought by the Arizona Lumber Company. A large shipment of stock has already arrived and was unloaded Wednesday.

A surprise party was given Mrs. George W. Wyatt, at her home in Emery, Sunday, August 6th, in honor of her fifty-sixth birthday.

The guests gathered at an early hour Sunday morning and the day was spent in singing and social conversation during which time ice cream and crackers were served. At noon a bounteous dinner was served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wyatt and two daughters, Carenie and Thaddie, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Maloy and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lawerence Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Norton and two little boys and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Maloy and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Poulson, Mrs. Byran Wyatt and little daughter, Pearl, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Elmer, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ruston and Mrs. J. E. Jones.

The honored one received many beautiful presents.

DIED

Willis Copelan, aged 24 years, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Copelan, died suddenly Wednesday morning about 6:00 o'clock, at the home of Harvey Gatlan, his uncle, on the Blue river, Greenlee county. The cause of death was heart failure, brought on by inflammatory rheumatism, from which he had been suffering for several years.

The remains were brought here Wednesday night in an automobile owned by Arthur Slaughter, of Clifton.

The funeral services were held at the home of the parents of the deceased, corner of Sixth and K streets, at 3:00 o'clock this afternoon. Bishop J. R. Welker officiated.

The pallbearers were: Noland Swanger, Chas. Kreuger, John Campbell, Lawrence Brier, Sam Greenhalgh, U. I. Paxton, members of Company B.

The interment was made in Union cemetery.

Willis Copelan was a young man of fine character, kind and loving to his parents. He was an enthusiastic member of Company B, Arizona National Guard, and one of the first to enlist in the company at the time of its formation.

When President Wilson called the company for border duty on May 9th, Copelan was among the first to respond, but he was suffering from fever at the time and remained in the armory on a cot placed on the stage. His condition was such that he could not go with his company to Douglas, which was a source of great regret to him.

Prohibition Mass Meeting

There will be a prohibition mass meeting tomorrow (Saturday) evening, at 8:00 o'clock, in Wickersham Park.

Leonard Martin, an experienced prohibition campaign speaker, will address the people.

Mr. Martin will address the people of Thatcher at the Amusement Hall, Sunday afternoon, at 2:00 o'clock.

BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES

"Forsake not the assembling of yourselves together as the manner of some is." Heb. 10:29. Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock a. m. Morning worship at 11:00 o'clock a. m. Subject of sermon: "Personal Evangelism." The B. Y. P. U. will meet at 7:00 o'clock p. m. Evening preaching service at 8:00 o'clock. Subject of sermon: "The Gospel of Your Salvation." Prayer meeting and Bible study every Thursday, at 8:00 o'clock p. m. You are welcome to these services.

E. A. GOTTBERG, Pastor.

Mrs. Fields Coleman and little daughter, Nell, who have been visiting with Mrs. Coleman's parents the past three months, at their home in Llano, Texas, arrived home Wednesday. The Colemans have rented the Brooking residence on K street, where they will live after the 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robinson and their daughter, Mrs. M. E. Crawford, of Clifton, arrived here from Globe Wednesday morning, where they had been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Robinson. They left yesterday morning for their home in Los Angeles, Cal.

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G. Quickenstedt, from the auditor's office, Tucson, was here the past few days transferring station business from R. D. Williams back to J. A. Phillips.

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Good Roads for Graham County

Thatcher Bootleggers Arrested

John Doe, who was arrested last week in Thatcher by Deputy Sheriff Allen on a charge of bootlegging, is languishing in the county jail, awaiting the action of the Superior Court.

David Elmer, an alleged partner of John Doe's, is out on $100 cash bail, after he tried to make his get-a-way, but was captured in Willcox and brought back by Deputy Sheriff Allen.

It seems that Elmer planned to get away Tuesday and go to California, and would have succeeded, but Officer Allen got next to his plans, but before he could get hold of Elmer, that gentleman had hired an auto Tuesday night and was on his way to Willcox.

Deputy Sheriff Allen secured the assistance of J. A. Woods and his auto and started out to head off Elmer and succeeded, as Elmer, not knowing the road by way of Monk's ranch, took the longer route around by Bowie.

The officer reached Willcox early Wednesday morning and went through the west bound train when it came into Willcox shortly after 3:00 o'clock. Not finding Elmer, Officer Allen and Mr. Woods went to the restaurant for breakfast and while they were busily engaged with their coffee and hot cakes, Elmer drove up and his capture was easy.

Deputy Sheriff Allen and his prisoner arrived here Wednesday and Elmer was put under $100 cash bond to await trial on a charge of bootlegging.

MARRIED

Miss Muriel Church and M. L. Morgan, were married in Denver, Colo., Thursday, July 27, 1916.

Mrs. Morgan was one of Safford's most popular and successful teachers during the last school term. Mr. Morgan is the well-known James A. Dick Company's traveling salesman, who has been making trips thru the valley for several years, with Safford as his headquarters.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan will make their home here.

THE GUARDIAN joins with their many friends in wishing them a happy and prosperous wedded life.

Miss Lodema Swanger and Harold Stover were married Friday night, August 4, 1916, at the home of President and Mrs. Andrew Kimball, at Thatcher, President Kimball performing the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Stover will make their home here on the Swanger ranch.

CAMP NACO NEWS

The officers of the First Arizona Infantry entertained Saturday evening at Hotel Naco for their ladies and out-of-town guests.

A very pleasant evening was spent in dancing. At 11:00 o'clock, mess was sounded and the guests were served with sandwiches, punch and ice cream.

Among the out-of-town guests present were: The Misses Osstiem and Miss Harriet Drowder, of Douglas.

The Misses Osstiem and Miss Harriet Drowder, of Douglas, were the house guests of Chaplain and Mrs. G. L Horene this week.

Mrs. Folsom, of Naco, will entertain next Thursday at bridge for visiting ladies and their hostesses.

Mrs. Geo. L. Horene entertained for her house guests Tuesday afternoon with two tables of bridge. Those present were: Miss Alma Abrams, Miss Harriet Drowder, Mrs. R. C. Haby, Mrs. Mrs. E. H. Roach, Mrs. Folsom and the Misses Osstiem.

Mrs. E. H. Roach will entertain at dinner at Hotel Naco, Wednesday evening.

PRISON LABOR GRANTED

The board of supervisors has received word from Charles R. Osburn, secretary of the State Board of Control, that its request for prison labor on the new State road, which is to be constructed in Greenlee and Graham counties, has been granted.

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ROUSING OLNEY MEETING AT EDEN

(Continued from Page One)

Olney would labor for the best interests of the whole State, just as much as he has worked for the best interests of Graham county in the past.

A. E. Jacobson was chairman of the Lands Committee of the First Legislature and his address bristled with facts and figures regarding the three-man power of the old Land Commission. During the first year of the existence of this commission not an acre of the land given the State by the U. S. government was selected. Instead, however, they presented the legislature with an enormous volume, richly lithographed with illustrations showing the best automobile camping sites in the State. The book shows the automobile owner how to get out of a mud hole and it illustrates roping and branding of cattle; but it did not show any results in regard to the actual selection of any land for the State. True enough it cost the people of the state $50.00 for every day this Land Commission spent in making the "Grand Tour of the State," and so it took thousands of dollars of the taxpayers money to be able to have these beautiful pictures. But for all that the money would have been well spent had the government land been selected. Today, we find that these choice acres have all been scripped by speculators and so our inheritance has been lost. Had these lands been selected when the opportunity was ripe, the revenue from them would now materially reduce our burden of taxes.

Mrs. W. W. Pace presented an appeal to the women to use their privilege in selecting the best man for governor. The women had worked so hard to secure suffrage that they owed it to themselves to show the men that they appreciated the privilege. Mrs. Pace showed the difference in the principles that the two candidates stand for and urged the women to work for the success of Mr. Olney because of his true democracy.

Bishop Merrill thinks and speaks seriously of the responsibility of American citizenship. Being the best citizenship on earth, we should use great discretion in selecting the men for public office. It is by the actions of there officials that the whole State is frequently judged.

Since Statehood increases taxes, we should be very careful how we start. The resources are scarcely touched. The mines and reservoir sites are but partly developed. These assets require statesmanship from real business men to prevent them falling into the hands of schemers who have no thought for public welfare. The taxes for schools equal all other taxes, and since the chief executive is responsible for the operation of the different departments, he is therefore directly responsible for the failure of the Land Commission in not being in a position to produce a revenue from these school lands.

The record of Mr. Olney is worthy of commendation and had he been in the chair of the present incumbent, we would now enjoy an administration characterized as efficient in every sense of the word. We would do well to support Mr. Olney for no other reason than for his keen ability; fair mindedness, and because of his attitude toward public questions. On one side, we find Mr. Olney fighting constantly to keep the taxes as low as possible; on the other side, we have a chief executive who shows himself incompetent—otherwise the taxes would not be so burdensome.

Mrs. Andrew Peterson quoted other speakers of the evening who are working for the best interests of all the people and cited this as a guide for conscientious voting. It is safe to compare the character of the men through the State who support Mr. Olney with the character of the men who are supporting the present incumbent. Mrs. Peterson stated that there are enough good men in the State, so that it is not necessary for one faction to have complete control of the State.

W. W. Pace, as the closing speaker, paid tribute to the energy and resourcefulness of Dr. Platt, who presided at the meeting. Mr. Pace found that Dr. Platt was always ready to do his duty for the best interests of the people and that when the call came to travel in the northern part of the State he was ready. Together they traveled over 3,000 miles in behalf of true democracy. In supporting the candidacy of Mr. Olney, the people are supporting their own best friend.

In the State there are three great interests, viz.: Corporations, laboring men and farmers. In the latter class are included the cattlemen and the merchant. The farmer represents the middle class—the balance wheel of the State. He represents the permanent elements; wedded to the State institutions as well as the soil. Therefore, the governor of the State should come from this class of people. Not only does Mr. Olney come prepared as a business man, but his sterling worth qualify him for governorship.

Under Mr. Olney there could not possibly exist the terrible state of affairs that existed at the State Industrial School. Not for one moment could George A. Olney have appointed the kind of superintendent and matron of that institution, to say nothing of defending and upholding them even after the true condition there was brought to light.

The present governor is wholly responsible for the placing of this reform school at a camp twenty-five miles from civilization. The present governor carries with him the disgrace of having made such appointments. Is it any wonder that the majority of the State are demanding that there shall be a change at the State House.

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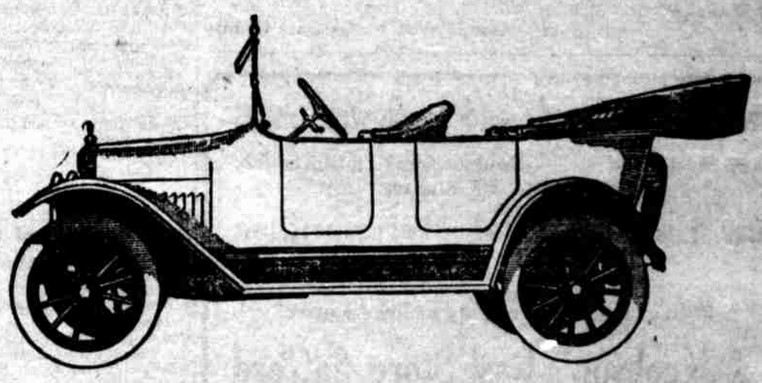

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